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RICHMOND MINUTES

Sept. 10th, 1906.

Council met at Selby. The members present were Messrs. Z. A. Grooms, Reeve, and Councillors Fred Sexsmith, Chas. Anderson, E. R. Sills and Alf McCutcheon.

The Reeve presiding. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

A communication was received and read from Mr. John English re Albert Reid's claim, laid on the table.

Moved by Chas. Anderson and seconded by E. R. Sills that the communication of Herrington, Warner & Grange re Otter Creek Drainage Works be tyed. Carried.

Moved by A. McCutcheon and seconded by E. R. Sills, that Councillor Anderson be appointed with power to employ F. F. Miller, Engineer, to examine Sucker Creek and all drainage works connected therewith and report to this council as to any liability the Township might be held (re) Albert Reid's claim for damages. Carried.

Moved by Fred Sexsmith and seconded by Chas. Anderson, that on the petition of Thomas Delina and others, that the road crossing lots Nos. 7 and 8 between the 9th and 10th concessions is in a bad state of repair. That the road Engineer be instructed to repair the same, said repairs not to exceed \$10.00. Carried.

Moved by Chas. Anderson and seconded by Fred Sexsmith that the following accounts be paid, A. Wood, \$11.50; V. Storms, repairing a bridge east of Selby, \$2.50; R. W. McCormick, shingling Township Hall \$18.31; E. Dodge, for 28 loads of gravel \$1.40; R. Shannon repairing five culverts in 1st Concession \$5.00; R. Pringle 135 loads of gravel \$9.45; Hugh McCormick work on Otter Creek Drain in 1906, \$16.47. Carried.

The By-Law for the closing of the road running across lot No. 5 in the 2nd Concession was read a third time and signed, sealed and finally passed.

The petition of the Municipal Council of the Township of Richmond in the County of Lennox & Addington, to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor in Council humbly sheweth, that whereas the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario did at its last session pass an Act amending the Public Schools Act some of the provisions of which we do not consider fair or reasonable but on the contrary a class of legislative of the most vicious type. Be it therefore resolved that we the Municipal Council of the Township of Richmond in the County of Lennox & Addington in session assembled do hereby express our entire disapproval of, and humbly ask for the repeal at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of Sub-sections 2, 4, 5 and 6 of section 30 of the said Public Schools Act, the said sub-sections containing provisions which in our opinion are a direct insult to the intelligence and business ability of the Boards of rural School Trustees.

And in duty bound your petitioners will ever pray.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this petition suitably prepared and signed by the Reeve and Clerk with the corporate seal attached be forwarded to Mr. T. G. Carscallen M. P. P. to be presented to the proper Government Authorities.

Moved and Seconded that the Council adjourn to meet on the 24th day of September at 10 o'clock a. m. which meeting will be held in lieu of the October meeting. Carried.

ABRAM WINTERS Clerk.

No Electric Light.

Notwithstanding the success of the new municipal plant, there are many people who will not have the privilege of enjoying the convenience of electric lights. It is for this reason that we have been particular to secure the highest grade of Coal Oil made in America. As the long night season is

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There's a treat in store for you, you will certainly appreciate this showing of Rich Furs for fall and winter. A brilliant display awaits you, showing all the latest and newest Parisian Fashions, the selection surpasses any previous season's collection, and we point with pride to this grand array considering the money saving quality.

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Ladies' Alaska and Columbia Sable Natural Lynx, Sable Fox, and Sable Rat, White Fox, Austrian Sable, Mole and Blue Hair.

German and Moramot Mink, White and Black Tibet Ruffs and Stoles.

Ladies' Muff, Alaska and Columbia, Black and White Fox, Natural Coon, Mink, White Tibet Ruffs.

Guys' Natural and Colored Wombat, Buffalo, Moscow and Coon Coats.



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Belleville, Sept. 7. Mr. Ardagh of the C. P. R. engineering staff is in the city to-day, and states he is looking over the ground between Belleville and some point on the C. P. R. this side of Vandreuil, with the idea of selecting a through route for the C. P. R. from Toronto to Montreal, and running closer to the St. Lawrence and Lake Ontario. The exact route cannot yet be definitely stated, but will be decided when full reports are made to themanagement. Prospects are bright for both the C. P. R. and Canadian Northern entering this city. Surveyors for both roads are now working in this vicinity.

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The Smallwear Department at Exhibition Time.

This Department is again the Centre of Attraction, the fall season finds us with many, many novelties in neck wear, having received consignments from New York. You can make no mistake in regard to fashion fable, also the new net ties with Persian ends, the new silk Belts and Belt Buckles, the new Gloves and Hosiery. We are agents for the everlast Louis Hemsdorf Dye Hose. The new Veilings, Laces, Embroideries, Chiffons, etc.

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New Fall Wrapperettes and American Printed Flannels, in neat small patterns and Floral Designs, range of prices 8, 9, 10, 12½, 15, 20 and 25 cents a yard, for Wrappers, etc.

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Outing Ceylon Saxony and Baby Flannels, Shirting Flannelettes, Dark, Medium and Light patterns, 12½c and 15c a yard.

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Cold Weather Comforts (BLANKETS) all-wool, a complete range Sizes and Prices.

In Exhibition Array the Carpet and Housefurnishing Dept.

Everything pertaining to Housefurnishings is now open for inspection. Visitors afford yourselves of the opportunity of visiting this section, the new Floor Coverings in Carpets, Linoleums, Oil Cloths, Rugs, Crex Matting, Draperies, etc., are here in great profusion, also to be seen in this Section are Crotounes, Denims, Art Sateens, Foulard, Blankets, Comforters, Flannelette Blankets, etc. This Department being known throughout this district as having money saving merchandise of a high class nature, further comment is unnecessary.

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STRATHCONA

Mr. and Mrs. B. Rose at Mr. Shetter's on Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tompkins at F. Wagar's, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pybus attended the Toronto fair.

Mrs. and Miss Lott took a trip to Yarker, on Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Jackson accompanied by Mrs. Stone, of Newburgh, drove to Bath on Sunday last to visit Mr. Thos. York, formerly of Newburgh.

Mrs. Foreward, of Selby, spent a few days with Mrs. Lott.

Farmers in this section are harvesting their corn, it is in fine condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Wells spent Sunday at Mr. Arnold's, Richmond.

MCINTYRE'S CORNERS.

Mrs. R. E. Aylsworth has recovered after a serious illness, also, little Gladys Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mosier, of Marlbank, at J. Detlor's; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sharp and daughter Gladys, at Selby; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Bell, of Belleville, at E. R. Sharp's; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Boyce was at Mr. Spider's, Maple Avenue, on Sunday last.

Miss Grace Sharp is spending this week at Odessa.

Mr. Hagerman and wife attended the Clarke-Hagerman wedding on Tuesday evening.

Freddie McTaggart spent last week with his parents at Napanee.

David Boyce and wife were at Napanee on Monday last.

Miss Irvine, Odessa, is spending the week with Mrs. E. R. Sharp's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Weese, Switzerville, spent Saturday and Sunday at W. P. Sharp's.

Mr. O. Snider attended the Toronto Exhibition last week.

Miss Bertha Davidson and Mr. E. Sharp spent Sunday last at Railton.

Mr. Madden, Napanee, is visiting at W. P. Miller's.

A Stove Talk.

The stove season is nearly here again and you are beginning to plan for that new up-to-date range and thinking of the comforts which it will bring to you. We wish to announce to you that we find ourselves in a much better position than formerly to accommodate this growing trade. Increased floor space and light enables us to make a much larger exhibit of this class of goods. Imperial Oxford Ranges still lead, but we have several other good and up-to-date lines. Sizes and prices to suit everyone. Be sure and inspect our stock before you purchase. It will be a pleasure for us to show you the goods.

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BELL ROCK.

Many here are wishing for rain, as water is very scarce, and the ground is parched with the heat.

A grand Harvest Home and Thanksgiving Dinner will be given by the ladies of the Methodist church here, on Tuesday, the 18th inst. Everyone welcome. Dinner to be served at 1 o'clock p.m.

An enjoyable little dinner was given last Thursday at the residence of John Pomeroy, in honor of Rev. J. C. Pome-

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With political ends in view the German Emperor is said to be making an alley of the Vatican.

Constipation Conquered by the use of Nature's Remedy, 185 days' treatment for One Dollar. Sold at WALLACE'S Red Cross Drug Store.

Mr. Leslie of Kingston, is making preparations to raise the Allan Liner Bavarian, sunk on Wye rock, below Quebec.

The Postmaster-General will meet a deputation of country postmasters next month to discuss the question of pay.

All the building trades of Winnipeg threaten to strike unless the trouble with the plumbers is settled by Monday next.

At Bowmanville William Terry and Charles Wilnot were committed for trial for highway robbery and assault on Richard Ford.

Richard Ford, a respectable mechanic of Bowmanville, was waylaid on his way home and robbed, beaten and had hot tar poured over him.

Eggs may be had in Winter at Summer prices. Water Glass Egg Preserver, does it. Easy to use and keeps them fresh indefinitely. Sold at Wallace's Red Cross Drug Store.

It is reported at Brantford that J. Bruce Walker, emigration agent at Glasgow, will probably succeed W.T.R. Preston as agent at London.

Michael Joyce, who had a leg cut off on Labor Day in Deseronto, while attempting to board a moving train, died Tuesday morning. He leaves a widow and one son.

Belleville, Ont., Sept. 11—The wedding of Lieut. A. Percy Allen, of the

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Mrs. G. M. Sanborn has returned home from Frankford.

Mr. and Mrs. James York spent last week in Toronto.

Miss Minnie Wheeler is home from Tweed.

Miss Charlotte Yorke is the guest of Miss Maggie Yorke this week.

Visitors: R. L. Brooks and family, of Buffalo, N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. E. Deline, of Enterprise at Mrs. Martin's; Miss A. Lemm, of Kingston; a. Mrs. Moir's.

HARROWSMITH

On Wednesday evening Miss Pearl Tallen, one of our bright young ladies, who has been ill for two weeks, was called away from our midst. She leaves a big space at home and also a large circle of heart-broken friends. She was liked by all. The large attendance at the funeral service showed in what esteem our young friend was held.

Again on Friday morning Mrs. Anson Charlton was taken away very unexpectedly. Deceased was ill only one week, but suffered much during that time. The funeral was conducted by Rev. Mr. Service, in the Methodist church on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Charlton was of an amiable disposition and leaves a sorrowing family.

John McLean, Sr., who is on the sick was taken to the general hospital, Kingston, on Saturday.

Frederick Tallen, Brownville, N.Y., at home. Miss J. Phillips, Kingston, at James Phillips. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cowdy, Mountain Grove, also Miss Knight, from the city, at George Redmond's. Mrs. Bruff, Kingston, attended her cousin and grandmother's funeral on Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Bertram Patterson, Camden East, intends spending the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyce.

George Redmond has returned home after spending a few weeks in the Northern Temagami district, calling at Haileybury, New Liskeard, also North Bay and various points.

Misses Myra Crun and Helena Redmond have returned to Sydenham High School.

Harry Sills and sister, Pearl Sydenham, spent Sunday at Mrs. W. Guess.

Mrs. James Walker and daughter, Edith, Holleford, at Alexander Thompson's.

Miss Maude Patterson has left for a few weeks' holidays.

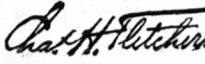
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Alton and family Sydenham, at Anson Charlton's.

Picot Business College

seems to be having a phenomenally good attendance as reports say the applications for admittance are over three times what they were last September.

Kingston, Sept. 8. — Newcomers from Parham that Willie McGregor, aged six, was shot through the heart by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of his elder brother, Charles. The McGregors live at Bobs Lake, three miles from Parham.

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For Infants and Children,
The Kind You Have Always Bought

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Signature of 

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The "Stove Exhibit" will be at Boyle & Sons' Store. This year we can show some new features in our first class stoves, which surpass any that have yet been shown. Go and see Good Stoves at BOYLE & SON.

Robert Richardson, Belleville, a sixteen-year-old boy, was on Tuesday found guilty of stealing \$70 from the pocket of Chas. Nunn, Grand Trunk despatcher, while the latter was bathing in the river, and to-day Judge Fraleigh sentenced him to six months in the Central Prison.

Kingston, Sept. 7.—The body of Samuel Lowe, clerk in Steacy's dry goods house, was found at noon in the water near the King street breakwater. He left his house on Princess street last night to go to the Foresters' Lodge but did not reach there. He was a prominent Conservative, an Anglican and a Forester. He leaves a wife and large family.

North Bay, Ont., Sept. 12.—One of the most serious accidents in the history of the C. P. R. occurred at Azilda, seven miles west of Sudbury, at 7:30 o'clock this morning. The death roll now totals eleven, and the injured number twenty-five.

The third section of No. 1 westbound had orders to meet the second of No. 2 east-bound at Azilda. The westbound train was made up of colonist coaches containing harvester excursionists, and was backing into the siding to allow the east-bound express to pass, when suddenly the east-bound train came around the curve and crashed into the harvester train, the baggage coach of the latter telescoping the first passenger car. The dead and injured were all taken out of the first car of the harvester train, no one being injured in the other cars or on the east-bound express. The engineer of the east-bound train states that the brakes refused to work. The crews escaped by jumping. A scene of wild confusion followed the shock but rescue work began speedily, the survivors working hard taking out the dead and wounded, while the C. P. R. officials sent a special from Sudbury to bring in the injured. A number of people from Napanee and vicinity were among the excursionists, but a telegram arrived stating that all were safe.

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Applications will be received by the undersigned up to noon on

Monday, the 17th Sept.

1906.

For the position of Collector of Taxes for the Town of Napanee, for the year 1906—A competent man required. Applicants will please state salary required.

W. A. GRANGE,
Town Clerk.

September 5 h, 1906. 40 b

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For terms and further information apply to M. C. BOGART, Real Estate Agent, Napanee, Ont. 423-m

VOTERS' LIST 1906.

Municipality of the Township of Sheffield County of Lennox and Addington.

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in Sections 5 and 6 of the Ontario Voter List Act, the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the List made pursuant of said Act of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for Member of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections; and that the said List was first posted up at my office, at Tamworths on the 10 Oct., A. D. 1905, and remains there for inspection.

Electors are called upon to examine the said List, and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

JAS. AYLESWORTH,
Clerk of said Municipality.

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Napanee Branch.

AI WANG;

A TALE OF SOUTHERN CHINA.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

The worst crisis was apparently past, and Lord Rackett had hard work to realize that they had come through with flying colors.

How they were to go back again was another question entirely, and one that might present some tough problems; but the time had not arrived for them to wrestle with what the future held—rather should they rest content with the glorious success which had rewarded their present efforts.

If Kai Wang had been able to steer their ship safely through the breakers on this occasion, surely he could be trusted to bring them over the next difficulty as well.

Besides, it was not Plympton's usual method to borrow trouble.

Why cross bridges until they had reached them?

The collection of high-class mandarins and their attendants had been fairly dazzled by the meteoric passage of the stranger and his suite.

Doubtless they would begin to compare notes, now that the coast was clear, endeavoring to discover who the other was, what his coming might portend, and whether he had gone.

These were important questions, and when an exchange of ideas and suspicions had been effected, perhaps something in the line of an awakening might take place.

Plympton hoped not.

He did not fancy having that mob of soldiers and retainers descending upon them, filled with fury and a desire for bloodshed.

Should such a wretched contretemps occur, it might be possible they would find considerably more difficulty in leaving the Forbidden City than they had encountered in entering it.

Sometimes it is harder to drop a burden than to assume it.

The suspense must have borne particularly hard upon Avis, and Larry was glad more for her sake than his own when the fact became patent that the old idol-maker had piloted them through the hostile assembly without even one hand having been outstretched to detain them.

Perhaps such a move, however clever and bold, could never have been successfully engineered in any land under the sun save China.

Here such a wide domain exists, peopled with tribes and petty nations, that dozens of different languages are spoken.

It is impossible for a Cantonese Chinaman from the South to understand a native of Peking unless he has been peculiarly educated as a linguist.

Such things as this sometimes serve to a good end, and our friends certainly had cause to rejoice that they existed.

The wily Kai Wang knew this passage like a book, and could get more benefit from his knowledge than most men.

Turning sharply several times, he plunged down a flight of stone stairs. This began to look like business.

If the prisoner were in a dungeon, this must mean that he was below the surface of the ground, and the sooner they perambulated in that direction the more speedily would they accomplish their end.

The big Englishman had taken part in

to get ready to enact his part in the game.

It had been previously arranged with the clever guide in anticipation for just such a condition as now confronted them, and the big Englishman had volunteered to take care of any pilgrim whom Kai Wang might desire to remove from their path.

All he wanted was the signal, and he felt able to guarantee the result.

A man has to have considerable confidence in himself to be able to thus dispose of such matters before the emergency arises.

Plympton did.

He knew the prehensile power of his strong hand, and had no fear of the result once he was given the order to act.

So, while Kai Wang at once engaged the sturdy guard in animated conversation, and by means of some cock-and-bull story, possibly connected with the change of emperors, or the reputed marriage of Li Hung Chang to the great dowager queen, aroused his startled interest, Plympton worked his way to the rear of the unsuspecting man.

Really, it quite disgusted the Englishman, the Chinaman seemed so soft a mark. He was accustomed to rating obstacles according to the difficulty experienced in overcoming them; and yet he could not for this reason refuse to accept the easy prize the god of war had delivered to him.

Meanwhile Kai Wang was asking questions, having succeeded in arousing the wonder of the guard, and saved him also with certain statements which he delivered.

Perhaps the amount of information which was to be gathered in this way would not be at all startling, for such men of the line in the Chinese army are, as a rule, most lamentably stupid, and ignorant of all important occurrences, having just about sense enough to drill after a fashion and make fair soldiers.

In China the mass of the army has been under foreign officers and learned many of the methods that go to stamp the soldiers of Germany and England as model troops; but the lack of intelligence hampers the Celestials in their ambition to vie with the best.

Lord Rackett coolly selected his hold with the eye of a connoisseur, and no sooner did he hear Kai Wang give the prearranged signal, in the shape of a slight cough, than he went in to win.

Perhaps the soldier on guard witnessed a ton of rock had suddenly fallen upon his head from above, or his gun taken upon itself to open up a premature battle on its own account, making him the first victim.

The chances were, however, that he had little time to indulge in even the most trivial speculation.

Plympton had hurled his full weight against the fellow while taking hold of his thick neck.

As a football player at Oxford he had learned the science of making just such a forward plunge. Many a time had Plympton, as a full back, forced his way through the opposing lines with the ball.

Nor was this the first time in his life that these college tactics had served him well. Such an amateur must inevitably bless the day he decided on training his muscular abilities.

shaken by the sight like a mulberry tree in the wind.

"Wait for me outside, Children of the West," he said, quickly and hoarsely.

So he stepped into the place, taking the lantern with him, and left the trio in the appalling gloom of the corridor, for the guard's feeble light had been overturned and extinguished during the scuffle that followed Plympton's onslaught.

Naturally, when the door closed behind Kai Wang the three crept closer together, and hands were outstretched and groping for each other as though in this way to gain reassurance by personal contact.

"Courage," said Larry, as his hand drew Avis closer to his sturdy little form. Since he was all she had to stand between herself and harm, he must be protector as well as cousin.

"This is very queer," remarked Plympton, with the air of a man who was puzzled; who suspected, and yet could not quite prove the facts wholly to his own satisfaction.

"What is?" asked Larry, eager to be in at the hunt if there was one.

"Our friend's actions. Why does he desert us, even temporarily, and go in to see that remarkable prisoner? I say it's queer, and not altogether fair. Still, I have a suspicion—you know Kai Wang is a Li Hung Chang man, heart and soul. Didn't you recognize the gaudy chap on the divan, Larry?"

"By Jove! I failed to see his face," exclaimed the little man; "but I'm beginning to have suspicions myself, remembering what event is supposed to be taking place here to-night."

"Well, it's my honest conviction the man in yonder is the fallen Emperor; that he has been given a sleeping potion and carried here, or else lowered through some opening, and that a new ruler reigns in his stead, though it may be weeks or months before the true state of affairs will be known, so secretly are all such events carried on under the flag of the yellow dragon."

The impressive manner in which Plympton spoke carried conviction with it.

"Granted that this is true, what does it matter to us? One man is no better than another in the imperial chair, so long as that woman's orders are obeyed by the mandarins, who fear her threats and crawl on their stomachs before her."

"True. All we have to regret is that the palace should be such a scene of turmoil on this night, which makes our task the more difficult."

"Thunder! I don't like this dark—why don't Kai Wang come out of that?" and Larry gave a couple of smart raps on the door to call the attention of the other to the fact that they waited.

"Feel around with your foot and see if the fellow is still lying where I left him," said the Briton, a little anxious; for the game was in just such a condition, like Mahomet's coffin, suspended in space, that a very little thing was required to turn it one way or the other.

And when Larry, groping with his foot on the spot the guard was supposed to occupy, failed to discover anything, Lord Rackett, unable to stand the suspense longer, scratched a vesta and was able to see to his own satisfaction that the fallen soldier lay like a mummy, swathed in hemp rope.

It was Avis who uttered an exclamation, and her tone was so full of startled surprise, yes, even of alarm, that on the impulse of the instant Plympton dropped the wax match and clapped his foot on it.

The result was immediate darkness, deep and impenetrable, almost Stygian in its density.

"What was it?" asked Larry, fearfully, for well he knew Avis would not have uttered such a cry unless she had made some discovery.

"I saw a man," she answered, eagerly.

"Where?"

"Down the passage."

"The way we came?" asked Plympton, believing they had been followed

JUVENILE HUMORISTS.

Essays Which Reveal the Comic Side of School Life.

Here are a few extracts from a book by Henry J. Barker, on the "Comic Side of School Life."

In an essay a boy wrote—"The turkey is king of the goose, and most other birds, but the eagle can fight it. It is like a very big cock, if it wasn't for the tail. It is not cruel to kill a turkey if only you take it into the back yard and use a sharp knife, and the turkey is yours."

"Turkeys lay very dear eggs what you can't afford, but they do not give butter or milk, because they can't do it, not if they tried three times."

A boy's visit to the Zoo brought forth many strange definitions. "The skin of the hippopotamus, we are informed, is so thick that it can stay in its pond all day without the water soakin' through." As for the elephant, "it looks as if it couldn't all of it die, it is so big."

Of the cat an urchin discovered that "when you stroke this tame quadruped by drawing your hand across its back, it cocks up its tail like a ruler, so as you can't get no further."

But perhaps these remarks on politeness are the most delightfully ingenuous—"Never eat quickly or you might get bones in your throat. My father knows of a boy who got killed over his Sunday dinner. The greedy boy was picking a rabbit's head in a hurry and swallowed one jaw of it, and my father says he was choked to death there and then." Be very polite over your meals, then, especially when it's rabbits. Since my father told me that, I have always felt very queer over a rabbit dinner. I don't talk much, and don't ask for any more."

A definition that won a little girl the Inspector's praise, despite its strangeness, was, "Turf, sir, is grass and clean dirt, stuck together by God."

A MOTHER'S STORY.

She Tells How Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Saved Her Daughter.

Anæmia is the doctors' name for bloodlessness. It is an ailment that affects almost every girl in her teens. Womanhood makes new demands upon her blood supply that she cannot meet. Month after month her strength, her very life, are being drained away. No food and no care can do her any good. No common medicine can save her. She needs new blood. New blood is the one thing—the only thing—that can make a healthy woman of her. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new blood. That is why they never fail to cure anæmia. That is how they save from an early grave scores of young girls whose health and strength depend upon their blood supply. Mrs. Anson Clark, Arden, Ont., says:—"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been a great blessing in my family as two of my daughters have used them with marked success. When my eldest daughter was about seventeen she began to fail in health. Her blood seemed to have turned to water. She was troubled with headaches and dizziness; the least exertion would cause her heart to palpitate violently and she could not walk up stairs without stopping to rest. She doctor'd for upwards of a year, and the doctor said she did not have as much blood in her body as an ordinarily healthy person would have in one arm. The doctor's treatment did not do her a particle of good. She seemed slowly fading away. Then she became afflicted with salt rheum and her hands were almost raw. About this time a neighbor advised the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and she began taking them. After using the pills for a few weeks we could see an improvement, her appetite began to improve and a trace of color came to her cheeks. She continued taking the pills until she had used thirteen boxes when she was as well and strong as ever, every trace of

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THE GREAT LIFTING POWERS OF SOME PLANTS.

Remarkable Growth of Onions—Melons
Raise a Weight Amounting to
Two and a Half Tons.

The fertility of some members of the
vegetable world is really astounding.
Thus, an ounce of onion seed which
was sown in a garden at Newton
Abbot produced no less than 400 pounds
of onions. This will give some idea as
to the prolific nature of vegetables, but
it is by no means an isolated example,
says London Tit-Bits.

For instance, at Wimbury, a village
near Axminster, an agriculturist planted
an ordinary winter cattle bean. The
average individual if asked how many
beans made five would make a different
answer from that which the agriculturist
would give. His single bean produced
no fewer than 660 beans.

Very extraordinary is the force exerted
by growing vegetation. A curious ex-
ample of this fact has been furnished in
the gardens at Kelsey Park, Becken-
ham. Signs of cracking were observed
in the brickwork of a frame and gradu-
ally a block was pushed out of position.
This weighed in the aggregate
over 1½ hundredweight. Several bricks
had to be cut out by the workmen, and
then they found a mass of mushrooms

shrubs which will grow are hollies,
laurels, japonicas, mountain ashes and
almost any hardy evergreens.

"REINCARNATED" QUAIL.

Novelist's Story of a Second-Hand Res-
taurant Bird.

"I was dining the other night at one
of our best restaurants," writes Mr.
Frank Richardson in the Pall Mall
Gazette, "and on analyzing my quail, I
found that it was only a scenario, that
the skeleton existed, but the bulk of the
bird had been 'made-up' with potted
meat. My neighbor's quail, I noticed,
lacked a leg. Now, what happens is
this: During a long dinner, the chances
are that one only cuts off the breast of
the bird. The rest remains intact. The
quail is then carefully collected, taken
to the kitchen, and reconstructed.

"Most of the best hotels and restaurants
are run in connection with cheaper
restaurants, and to them the quail re-
incarnated is sent. It may then, pro-
vided it has not been too seriously
damaged by the diner, be sent on to a
third, fourth and even a fifth restaur-
ant."

"Neither in London nor in Paris is it
prudent, we imagine, to inquire too
closely into the vicissitudes of fortune
undergone by any dismembered bird or
beast on the table, even though the
restaurant be one which is beyond suspicion
of its food coming from Chicago. Curries,
minces, salmons, fricasses and
viands in aspic are rarely made of fresh
meat, and the wooden, savorless taste
of the meat in them is among the least
of their disadvantages. They are quite
out of fashion, it may be added (with the
exception of the aspic) in most first-class
restaurants.

Mr. Richardson's quail might, how-
ever, be a perfectly honest bird. To pick
the flesh from a quail, pound it up, re-
place it on the skeleton, and serve the
bird in aspic is a common, if foolish
effort of cookery, utterly ruining the two or
three delicious mouthfuls of which a
quail consists. Chickens are sometimes
served in this fashion, and in the
familiar "caneton rouennais" certain
parts of the duck are pounded up into
sauce for the rest.

One likes, however, to be well ac-
quainted with the restaurant where
these dishes are presented. At a cheap
table d'hôte dinner in Soho or the Palais
Royal they are best left alone.

PLEASANT MOMENTS.

It has been said with a great deal of
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Finally a block was pushed out of position. This weighed in the aggregate over 1½ hundredweight. Several bricks had to be cut out by the workmen, and then they found a mass of mushrooms, only 3 pounds 3 ounces in weight, growing in the centre of the wall.

Melons are extremely strong; in fact, one has been known to raise a weight amounting to

TWO AND A HALF TONS.

A well-known student of nature tried to estimate the strength of a melon when it was eighteen days old and measured 27 inches in circumference. He fixed a sort of harness around it, with a long arm or lever attached, and so was able to measure the force of the melon by the weight it lifted at the end of the lever. When about twenty days old—that is, a couple of days after the harness had been fixed on—it exerted a strength of sixty pounds, while seventeen days afterward it actually lifted 5,000 pounds weight.

The seed of the globe turnip measures only about the twentieth part of an inch in diameter, yet in the course of a month or two it will enlarge into 27,000,000 times its original bulk, in addition to the large crop of leaves.

In fact, by careful experiment it has been found that a turnip seed, under favorable conditions, will increase its own weight fifteen times in a minute. Turnips growing in peat ground have been found to increase more than 15,000 times the weight of their seed in a single day. By exceptional means, such as by drugging, even this may be exceeded.

In this connection it may be added that by drugging plants and other vegetables their rate of growth can be increased to an astonishing extent. When placed in air-tight dens and fed on ether for twenty-four hours, until they become permeated with the fumes, they mature in about half the time it takes them to develop naturally. It is confidently expected that this method of drugging will work a revolution in the methods of forcing flowers and garden vegetables.

THE CLEVERNESS OF PLANTS

is extremely remarkable, and some of them employ the most ingenious stratagems whenever danger threatens them. There is, for example, a species of mimosa in South Africa which feigns death in times of danger. This is evidently for the purpose of preventing grass-eating animals from plucking it. While in a natural state the plant is of a vivid hue, yet directly it is touched by any living animal it collapses into a tangle of apparently dead and withered stems. Among British wild plants, by far the most sensitive is that of the insectivorous sundew, which is found on boggy land.

Notwithstanding their vitality, members of the vegetable world will not flourish in smoky towns. Even the hardy trees have no love for those products of modern civilization. It is well to know that horticulturists are almost unanimous in giving their vote to the plane as the best tree for planting in smoky towns. Where the smoke is not too dense, it is found that limes, sycamores, poplars, elms, horse chestnuts and Turkey oaks do well, but that practically exhausts the list. Among the

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SEEK ISLAND OF WEALTH.

Mysterious Expedition Has Started From London.

Mystery surrounds the voyage of the steamer Xema, which has sailed from Gravesend on the Thames, for a destination which is a close secret. It is certain, however, that she carries a diamond-seeking expedition financed by a syndicate in London, and it is thought that she is going in search of an uncharted island off the African coast, of whose diamond wealth rumors were recently circulated.

The Xema is owned by Earl Fitzwilliam, who two years ago, fitted out the abortive expedition in the Veronique to Cocos Island in search of a pirates' buried treasure. The Earl, however,

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has nothing further to do with the expedition, which is the enterprise of the Collis Diamond Syndicate.

The crew signed on for St. Helena, which lends color to the story of the African diamond Isle. The ship is fitted up with great luxury and the officers are resplendent in gold lace. In addition she carries as passengers a party of ladies and gentlemen whose identity is a secret. So that nothing is lacking to make the voyage of the Xema romantic and interesting.

GOING TO BE A GENIUS.

"John's home from college?"
"Oh, yes."

"What's he goin' to do now?"

"Well, twixt you an' me, I think he's just about decided to loaf around and be one o' these geniuses that nobody can understand."

TO BE FORGOTTEN.

"Father," called James, after he had reached home from college, "what shall I do with my diploma?"

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RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT'S POLICY

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REFORM PROMISES.

A despatch from St. Petersburg says: The declaration of policy by the Government, of which lately several forecasts have appeared, was issued on Wednesday. It promises many liberal reforms, including the immediate withdrawal of useless restrictions against the Jews, increasing provincial autonomy, reform of the police and other public services, the establishment of embassies in Poland and the Baltic provinces, and the institution of an income tax. Meanwhile the Government is determined to maintain order, and it accordingly decrees court martial for political crimes, and increases the penalties for carrying on the revolutionary propaganda.

TWO HUNDRED ON TRIAL.

A despatch from Cronstadt, Russia, says: The trial of two hundred participants in the recent mutinous outbreak, including M. Onipke, one of the peasant leaders in the outlawed Parliament, and fifty other civilians began here on Wednesday behind closed doors. There are over a thousand witnesses, and, therefore, the proceedings are expected to be protracted.

OFFICERS RETURN THREAT.

A despatch from Sevastopol says: In answer to the publication of a notice from the terrorists that a sentence of death has been imposed on Col. Dumbadze, commander of a rifle regiment here, the officers of that corps in an open letter have announced that in case of an attack being made on the colonel they will exact vengeance on the leaders of the progressive parties.

FEARS THE NAVY.

Admiral Skydloff, commander of the Black Sea fleet, and the military commander here are very apprehensive of the attitude of the sailors of the fleet and the garrison of the fortress. The annual cruise of the training squadron as well as the regular fleet manoeuvres have been abandoned.

POLICY CLEARS THE AIR.

A despatch from St. Petersburg says: The Government's declaration of its policy has had a favorable effect in commercial and financial quarters.

There was a general rise in prices on the Bourse on Thursday, where the first business in the recent internal loan was transacted, while 4 per cent. bonds rose to 70.

The Moderate and Liberal newspapers praise the agrarian proposals, and only condemn the depression of the revolutionary propaganda in the army because it is retroactive. On the other hand, the revolutionists and extremists of all kinds continue irreconcilable.

SECRET TRIALS.

Under the Imperial ukase of Wednesday Governor-Generals and similar authorities in districts that are under martial law are empowered to send accused persons before a field court martial without preliminary examination. The court consisting of a president and four army or navy officers, will make its decisions in camera within eighteen hours, and the sentences will be carried out within twenty-four hours.

CORRESPONDENT BEATEN.

The London Standard's correspondent

sacred continued all day. The soldiers attacked all civilians, Christians and Jews, robbing and murdering without discrimination. The authorities have sent a regiment of infantry from Biela to restore order.

The Jews in Warsaw are panic-stricken. Alarming reports are circulated throughout the city:

CHILDREN'S COURTS.

Law Now Requires That They Should be Established.

Youthful offenders under sixteen or homeless children should be removed entirely from the jurisdiction of the regular Courts and be dealt with by a specially organized Children's Court. In connection with this Court there should be a detention home and probation officers to investigate charges of youthful wrong-doing and homelessness, etc., and submit to the judge a report of each case. Children charged with petty offences should be placed temporarily under the care of these officers, who would supervise the home life, help to procure employment, or take whatever steps might be necessary to remove the cause of offence. Judge Tuthill, who had charge of the Children's Court in Chicago for a time, was asked what he thought about the born criminals and degenerates. He is quoted as replying: "There are no born criminals. If I felt that I should lose faith in God, Society makes criminals, and environment and education makes criminals, but they are not born so." He further expressed the opinion that "the best children in the world were submitted to the same influences as the children daily brought before him; they would commit the same offences. The home surroundings and early training of children are all important factors in determining their subsequent career. When children get into conflict with the law it is rarely their fault, and their cases should be studied in a kindly parental way by persons whose love of childhood is greater than their sense of so-called justice. Only in this way can they be permanently removed from the criminal classes.

J. K. KELSO, Toronto.

BEATEN ON WAY FROM WORK.

An Englishman the Victim of a Brutal Assault.

A despatch from Bowmanville, Ont., says: Saturday evening, about dusk, a brutal assault was committed on an Englishman named Richard Ford while near the G.T.R. track, on his way home from work. Ford, who has not been in the country very long, resides with his wife and family in a house belonging to Mr. E. Burk, on the lake shore. He worked with Burk for a time, but some dispute arising between them, he left his employ, and secured a position in the foundry, walking some four miles to his work every morning and returning in the evening. He was on his way home on Saturday evening when he was attacked by three men and his hands tied. He was then blindfolded, knocked down, and severely kicked and beaten. He finally managed to get on his feet, and, with his hands still tied, kicked at the parties until they decamped. He found his way to the residence

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES.

Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Dairy Produce at Home and Abroad.

Toronto, Sept. 11.—Flour—New Ontario wheat, 90 per cent. patents, are quoted at \$2.70 to \$2.75 in buyers' sacks outside, for export. Manitoba first patents, \$4.40; second patents, \$3.90, and strong bakers', \$3.80. Toronto.

Bran—The market is steady at \$14 to \$14.50 in bulk, outside. Shorts are quoted at \$18 to \$18.50 outside.

Wheat—No. 1 Northern Manitoba quoted at 78 1/2c, lake ports, and No. 2 Northern at 76 1/2c, lake ports.

Corn—No. 2 American is quoted at 59c on track, Toronto.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Beans—Hand-picked selling at \$1.75 to \$1.80 and primes at \$1.60 to \$1.70.

Honey—Strained honey quoted at 9 1/2 to 10c per lb, and combs at \$2 per dozen.

Hops—13 to 16c per lb.

Hay—Car lots of No. 1 timothy are quoted at \$9.50 to \$10 on track, Toronto, and No. 2 at \$8.

Straw—\$5.50 to \$6 per ton.

Potatoes—They are quoted at 50 to 60c per bushel in quantities.

Poultry—Turkeys, fresh killed, 12 to 14c; chickens, 10 to 12c per lb, alive; hens, 8 to 9c per lb, alive; ducks, alive, 10 to 11c per lb.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

Butter—Pound rolls are quoted at 20 to 21c; tubs, 18 to 20c; large rolls, 18 to 20c. Creamery prints sell at 24 to 25c, and solids at 22 to 23c.

Eggs—Good candied stock, 16 1/2 to 17 1/2c per dozen. Splits, 12 1/2 to 13c.

Cheese—They are quoted at 13 1/2 to 13 1/4c, the latter for twins.

HOG PRODUCTS.

Dressed hogs in car lots nominal. Bacon, long clear, 12 1/2c per lb in case lots; mess pork, \$21.50 to \$22; short cut, \$24 to \$24.50.

Hams—Light to medium, 16c; do, heavy, 15c; rolls, 12 1/2c; shoulders, 11 1/2 to 12c; backs, 17 1/2 to 18c; breakfast bacon, 15 to 16c.

Lard—Tiers, 11 1/2c; tubs, 11 1/2c; pails, 12c.

BUSINESS AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, Sept. 11.—Local dealers are well pleased with the way the demand for oats for local consumption keeps up. Large sales were made again today, and there is still a good inquiry; quotations are steady at 36c, 37c, and 38c per bushel for Nos. 4, 3 and 2, store.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat patents, \$4.50 to \$4.70; strong bakers', \$4 to \$4.20, and straight rollers, \$3.30 to \$4.10 in wood; in bags, \$1.85 to \$1.95; extra, in bags, \$1.25 to \$1.50. Rolled oats—\$2.20 to \$2.25 in bags of 90 lbs.

Cornmeal—\$1.40 to \$1.45 per bag; granulated, \$1.65. Millfeed—Ontario bran, in bags, \$18 to \$19; shorts, in bags, \$20 to \$21.50; Manitoba bran, in bags, \$18 to \$19; shorts, \$22. Oats—No. 2, 38c per bushel; No. 3, 37c; No. 4, 36c. Hay, No. 1, \$10 to \$10.50 per ton on track; No. 2, \$9 to \$9.50; clover, 87 to \$7.50; clover, mixed, \$8 to \$8.50. Beans—Prime pea beans, in car load lots, \$1.85 per bushel; hand-picked, \$1.70 per bushel. Peas—Boiling, in broken lots, \$1.20 per bushel. Potatoes—40 to 50c per bag of 90 lbs, nominal. Honey—White clover, in comb, 14 to 15 1/2c; buckwheat, 10 to 11c per lb section; extract, 8 to 8 1/2c; buckwheat, 7 1/2c per lb.

Provisions—Barrels short cut mess, \$23 to \$24; half-barrels, \$11.75 to \$12.50; clear fat backs, \$23.50; long cut heavy mess, \$21.50; half-barrels do, \$11.25; dry salt long clear bacon, 12 1/2 to 12 1/4c per lb; barrels plain beef, \$19 to \$21.50.

A DRIVER'S LUCK.

Son of Wealthy South African Leaves for Inheritance.

A despatch from Montreal says: On the Allan liner Tunisian there sailed on Friday a saloon passenger, one James Broderick Roach, who a week ago was worth few dollars, and to-day is possessor of \$350,000. The story reads like a romance, with the difference that it is real, for the driver of a rig has become a wealthy man. Mr. Roach came to Canada and settled in Montreal some years ago. His father went out to South Africa in the days when Kimberley and Johannesburg were unknown to the world and the race of South African millionaires had not yet come forth. After his son left home at Newcastle, in Natal, the father was lucky, and at his death left a million dollars. By the terms of the will his son has not to come into his share until he reached the age of 25. The news was conveyed to Mr. Roach on his birthday week, by cable, from Messrs. Shirley and Johnson, solicitors, at Plymouth. Mr. Roach soon after his arrival in Canada joined the 8th Company of the 5th Royal Scots, and at the time of his departure was a sergeant. Friday night the non-commissioned officers and men of the company gave him as a token of their esteem and friendship, a handsome bloodstone signet ring.

TRYED TO SAVE HAND-CAR.

Section Man Has Both His Legs Broken Near Guelph.

A despatch from Guelph says: In trying to save a G.T.R. hand-car from an on-coming freight near Guelph on Friday morning, section foreman Martin Sosnoski had a narrow escape, and one of his gang, Vincenzo Marticardi, married, aged 32, was struck by the train, and had both legs broken. The two were working on their regular run from Guelph to Rockwood, and were driving the lorry a mile out of Guelph towards Trainor's cut, when a west-bound extra freight came out of the curve of the cut. The sectionmen stopped their lorry as soon as possible, and the freight tried to slow up on the down grade. Sosnoski and his assistant had almost got the lorry clear of the track, and Marticardi, who was on the track side, sprang across to escape the engine, but the cow-catcher struck him below the knees, breaking both legs.

IN NEWER ONTARIO.

Surveyors Find Good Soil Far North of the C. P. R.

A despatch from Toronto says: Messrs. Speight & Van Nostrand, Ontario land surveyors, have reported to Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines, that they have surveyed 180 miles of base and meridian line in the district of Algoma. Their work lay in the valleys of the Missinabie, Opazatika and Kapuskasing Rivers, between 125 and 150 miles north of the C. P. R., the route being by canoe. Good farming land, clay and clay loam, was found in the area, which was nearly all surveyed, and Hudson's Bay Company officers had grown an abundance of fine potatoes there. The chief timber in the district comprises spruce, poplar, tamarac, balm of Gilead, balsam and white birch.

SPINAL CORD SPLICED.

A Remarkable Operation Performed at Medicine Hat.

A despatch from Medicine Hat, Alta., says: A very difficult operation was performed on Engineer Glover on Thursday afternoon in the Medicine Hat General Hospital by Dr. C. F. Smith, assisted by Dr. C. E. Smyth and Dr. Goodlands. In the head-on collision

ried out within twenty-four hours.

CORRESPONDENT BEATEN.

The London Standard's correspondent at St. Petersburg says that J. Foster Fraser, the Standard's special correspondent, and his secretary, were arrested in Tuesday's round-up of 2,000 persons in the streets and were taken to the yard of the Governor's palace, where they were beaten by the Circassian guards. Probably only the intervention of the adjutant of Gov.-Gen. Scallion saved their lives.

UNIVERSITIES TO REOPEN.

A despatch from St. Petersburg says: At a meeting on Thursday night of Social Democrats and Social revolutionary university students it was decided not to oppose the reopening of the universities, which is scheduled for Oct. 14, thereby furnishing a strong possibility that the paralysis of the educational life of the country, which has lasted for two school years, may soon be ended. Many revolutionary students favored abandoning entirely the obstructive attitude.

Reports from Moscow, Odessa and other university centres are to the effect that an unprecedented number of prospective students have registered, owing to the accumulation consequent on the two years' stoppage of instruction.

POLICE CHIEF KILLED.

A despatch from Sebastopol says: The chief of the gendarmeries was assassinated on a street car here on Friday.

IMPRISONMENT FOR LIFE.

A despatch from Warsaw says: The trial of the agitators and soldiers of the Warsaw garrison charged with spreading the propaganda of the military league, including two officers, resulted on Friday in the sentencing two of the accused to imprisonment for life. The officers were found guilty only of cognizance of the propaganda. One of them was exiled to Siberia, and the other was condemned to three years' imprisonment in a fortress.

MURDER AT LODZ.

A despatch from Lodz, Russian Poland, says: Twenty armed men on Thursday entered the house of a policeman, killed the policeman and a soldier and mortally wounded the policeman's wife.

PIG FIRE AT POWSIN.

A despatch from Powsin, Russian Poland, says: A fire started here on Thursday by terrorists, who were angered at the refusal of the inhabitants to grant their demands, resulted in the destruction of 177 houses. A boy perished in the flames.

KILLED FELLOW-LUNATICS.

A despatch from Warsaw says: An inmate of the asylum for the insane at Gorakalwaria, near here, secured an axe on Thursday and killed several of his fellow-lunatics before he was overpowered.

SIEDLICE RUNS WITH BLOOD.

A despatch from Warsaw says: At 6 o'clock Saturday evening two soldiers who were guarding the Government alcohol store at Siedlce, 55 miles southeast of Warsaw, were shot and killed by terrorists. A detachment of infantry, alarmed by the sound of the firing, rushed up and fired a volley, killing two men and wounding two others. Sunday morning the terrorists retaliated, beginning a massacre of policemen and soldiers patrolling the streets. At noon the infuriated troops attacked the Jewish quarter, destroying houses and shops. It is reported that over a hundred persons were killed. The city is in flames.

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ter. He finally managed to get on his feet, and, with his hands still tied, kicked at the parties until they decamped. He found his way to the residence of Mr. Samuel Allin, who brought him to town, where his wounds were attended to by a doctor. During the skirmish, tar was rubbed in his hair, and he was warned to leave the neighborhood at once. There is no doubt but that it was local parties who committed the crime, and it is likely that arrests will follow, as Ford is positive that he can identify his assailants, who also took what money he had. Chief of Police Jarvis has the case in hand.

GOLDEN PEACE RIVER.

What an Edmonton Correspondent Says About It.

An Edmonton despatch says: The Macdonald-Dominion Government survey party, which arrived in the city on Wednesday, brings a story of gold discovered in the Peace River country, which, if it answers to the surface indications, will put the Rand to shame and make the celebrated Homestead or Treadwell mines look like the proverbial thirty cents.

The Peace River discoveries promise to furnish untold millions for people yet unborn, to establish the gold mining industry on the prairie side of the mountains, employing thousands of men and furnishing an immense market for Alberta produce right at the doors of farmers who will make their homes in the Peace River.

Samples of the rock brought down by the party are of a peculiar nature. They are a slate shale, which by its appearance is evidently the solidified product of millions of years of deposits of mud in the river bed, brought down probably from the mountains ages and ages ago. Scattered throughout this rock are the minute specks of gold. The crudest kind of assay, made with a mortar and mercury, gave values of seven dollars to thirty-two dollars to the ton, but these tests are certainly unreliable, and no mining man familiar with gold values would accept them as indicating anything like the real value of the rock.

THE HERRING INDUSTRY.

Scotch Expert Has Proved Value of Canadian Fish.

A Montreal despatch says: Mr. J. J. Cowie who has been employed by the Canadian Government for two seasons demonstrating the Scotch method of herring-curing and packing, has accomplished most encouraging results this summer in the Baie des Chaleurs. Heretofore the fishermen of Gloucester have made no use of the large runs of Spring herring excepting as bait and garden fertilizer. Mr. Cowie, however, with his up-to-date methods of handling this fish, has shown that they have a value quite equal to the Scotch article, and a pack has been made that will probably realize from ten to twelve dollars a barrel in New York.

The Fall run has now begun, and Mr. Cowie says he never saw such herring in his life. The Canadian fish of this class has never commanded a high price, owing to the primitive way in which it was cured and packed.

BRAVED FIRE FOR CHILDREN

St. John Mother Succeeded in Saving All—Badly Burned.

A despatch from St. John, N.B., says: Sinclair McKiel's bakery was burned early on Wednesday morning, and Mrs. McKiel and four children narrowly escaped being burned to death. Mrs. McKiel twice tried to pierce the smoke and flames before she was successful in reaching the air with her children, and all were badly burned about the hands and face. The bakery and stables were destroyed and also Cortell's stables next door. The loss was amount to \$5,000.

A late message from Siedlce, timed

clear fat backs, \$23.50; long cut heavy mess, \$21.50; half-barrels do, \$11.25; dry salt long clear bacon, 12½ to 13½ per lb; barrels plate beef, \$12 to \$13.50; half-barrels do, \$6.75 to \$7.25; barrels heavy mess beef, \$11.50; half-barrels do, \$6.25; compound lard, 8 to 9½c; pure lard, 12 to 12½c; kettle rendered, 13 to 14c; hams, 14½ to 16c; breakfast bacon, 15½ to 16½c; Windsor bacon, 16½c; fresh killed abattoir dressed hogs, \$9.75 to \$10; alive, \$6.75 to \$7 per 100 lbs. Eggs—Straight receipts, 19c; No. 1 candled, 18c. Butter—Choice creamery, salted and unsalted, 24c; medium grades, 23½ to 23¾c. Cheese—Ontario, 12½ to 12¾c; Quebec, 12½ to 13½c.

UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Milwaukee, Sept. 11.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 76 to 77c; No. 2 Northern, 73 to 76c; December, 76½ to 76¾c asked. Rye—No. 1, 57c. Barley—No. 2, 55 to 56c; sample, 53 to 54½c. Corn—No. 3 cash, 49 to 49½c; December, 42½ to 42¾c asked.

Minneapolis, Sept. 11.—Wheat—September, 70½c; December, 71½c; May, 75½c; No. 1 hard, 75½c; No. 1 Northern, 74½c; No. 2 Northern, 73½c; No. 3 Northern, 71c. Flour—First patents, \$4 to \$4.10; second patents, \$3.85 to \$3.95; first clears, \$3.25 to \$3.45; second clears, \$3.50 to \$2.60.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Toronto, Sept. 11.—The run was moderately heavy, but the percentage of medium to good cattle was extremely light and prices for these were decidedly firm.

Export Cattle—Choice at \$4.70 to \$4.90, medium to good, \$4.40 to \$4.60; bulls, \$3.50 to \$3.75; bulls, light, \$3.25 to \$3.50, cows, \$3.50 to \$4.

Butcher Cattle—Choice are quoted at \$4.50 to \$4.75; medium to choice, \$4.25 to \$4.40; inferior to medium, \$3 to \$4; bulls, \$2.25 to \$3; cows, \$2.50 to \$3.50; cappers, \$1.50 to \$2.

Stockers and Feeders—Stockers, choice \$3 to \$3.65; light, \$2.25 to \$3; cows, \$2 to \$2.40; bulls, \$1.75 to \$2.25; short-keep feeders, \$4.35 to \$4.50; heavy feeders, \$4.20 to \$4.25.

Milch Cows—Quotations are unchanged at a range of \$20 to \$60 each.

Calves—Prices are quoted easy at 3c to 6c per lb.

Sheep and Lambs—Export ewes are quoted at \$4.25 to \$4.50 and bucks at \$3 to \$3.50. Lambs are lower at \$5.50 to \$6.15.

Hogs—Held about steady at \$6.40 per cwt. for selects and \$6.15 for lights and fats.

AN ADVANCE IN LEATHER.

A Radical Increase Decided Upon by the Tanners.

A Toronto despatch says: Leather is to go up in price. An advance, which will affect consumers throughout the entire Dominion of Canada, was decided upon on Thursday, when at a meeting of the tanners' section of the Board of Trade resolutions were unanimously adopted, that in view of the continued advance on hides and tanning material, harness leather be advanced two cents per pound above August prices, measured leather one cent per foot, and that all other leathers be advanced in proportion, and that the discount on all leather sold to the retail trade be 2 per cent., in accord with the cash discount now given by the jobbing and wholesale trade.

EMBEZZLER SENTENCED.

Customs Clerk Who Stole \$65,000 Gets Four Years in Prison.

A despatch from Montreal says: David Hobbs, the C. P. R. Customs clerk, who was accused of absconding with \$65,000, was sentenced by Judge Choquet on Friday to four years in the penitentiary. He had already served sentences for scuttling a ship in Scotland, and also for arson.

performed on Sunday afternoon in the Medicine Hat Hospital by Dr. C. F. Smith, assisted by Dr. C. E. Smyth and Dr. Goodlands. In the head-on collision here last Friday night Glover's back was broken and the spinal cord mangled. No hopes of his recovery could be entertained unless the cord could be replaced, and this operation was undertaken Thursday, the spinal cord of a dog being used to take the place of the original one for about an inch. The case is being watched with extreme interest by medical practitioners.

SOUTHERN INDIANA SHOCKED.

Succession of Earthquakes Cause a Panic in Many Places.

A despatch from Indianapolis, Ind., says: Southern Indiana was visited by a succession of earthquake shocks between 10 and 11 o'clock on Friday morning, and in some places they were so severe as to frighten the people, causing them to leave their homes and rush into the streets. At some points as many as three shocks were felt, while at others there was a succession of tremors that lasted several seconds, but not distant enough to be recognized as separate shocks.

GERMANY'S NEW BATTLESHIP.

Projectiles 280 Pounds heavier Than Any Used at Present.

A despatch from Berlin says: According to the Cologne Gazette the new German 19,000-ton battleship, which will be a rival of the British Dreadnought, will carry 16 big guns, compared with the Dreadnought's 10. They, however, will be of rather smaller calibre, although their enormous length, 46 feet, will enable them to carry an unusually heavy charge, while the projectiles will be 280 pounds heavier than any of the present German projectiles.

STEAMER SERVICE TO MEXICO.

Two Years' Arrangement, Conditional on Parliamentary Sanction.

An Ottawa despatch says: The Trade and Commerce Department was officially notified on Wednesday by the Mexican Government that arrangements had been entered into with Mr. Warsop, representing British capitalists, for a steamship service between both countries on the Pacific. The arrangement is for two years, and is conditional on the Mexican Congress and the Canadian Parliament approving of the same.

INDIA RICE FAMINE.

Prices Abnormal and Crowds are Lootting the Shops.

A despatch from Calcutta says: The rice famine in the northern provinces of India is becoming worse and is extending toward Bengal. Prices are abnormal, and crowds are looting the shops.

DOUKHOBORS REFUSE TO EAT.

Incarcerated in Jail They Are Forced to Take Food.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: Fourteen Doukhobors, incarcerated in the jail here, absolutely refuse to partake of food. Nourishment has to be forced through their teeth by scientific means. These men are leaders of the famous band that braved the prickly cactus with naked feet while they wandered in nude condition over the face of the prairies. But humiliation has only steeled their hearts w.... a firmer determination, and they have resolved that if the police authorities will not allow them to turn Saskatchewan into a veritable garden of Eden they will starve their bodies.

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YOUNG FOLKS

THE BROWNIE HOUSEBOY.

"It's a pity there isn't a brownie in our cellar to drink that," said mamma, as Harold rose from the supper table, leaving his glass half full of milk.

"Do brownies like milk, mamma?"

"I have always heard they do," said the mother. "All the stories about them say that, if you'll put a saucer of milk on the cellar floor every night, a brownie will come and live there and help to do the housework."

"Help do the housework!" cried Harold.

"Yes. He'll make the kitchen fire and put on the kettle, and have things cosy and nice before it's time to get breakfast. He has to get up very early, because it would not do for him to let people see him."

"Is it really true?" asked Harold, his eyes round with wonder.

"No. Harold. I wish it was. Then I'd put this milk in the cellar and get a brownie to come and bring in all that wood that paper cut," said mamma, as she left the room.

"Maybe there really are brownies," thought Harold, "and mamma just thinks there aren't because she never saw one. I believe I'll put this milk in the cellar and see if I can't catch one. Won't mamma be surprised if she wakes up in the morning and finds the work done in the kitchen!"

So he crept out into the hall and down the stairs into the dark cellar. It was a good thing he was such a brave boy, or he couldn't have done it.

It might have been the newness of keeping a secret from his mother, or it might have been the excitement of catching a brownie; but something woke Harold the next morning long before his usual time.

He saw the faint daylight through the shutters and heard his mother's gentle breathing, and it seemed strange to be awake all by himself.

"I wonder if the brownie has come," he thought, and then he slipped out of his little bed and into his clothes as well as he could. He knew mamma would not like him to go out of the room undressed.

It was still so dark in the cellar that he had to put his finger into the saucer to find out whether the brownie had drunk the milk.

Yes, it was gone; the saucer was quite dry. Upstairs flew Harold and into the kitchen. But disappointment met him there. Everything was just as it had been left at night.

"The mean old brownie!" thought Harold. "So selfish drinking the milk and then going away without doing his work."

He wouldn't have any surprise for mamma after all. Then a quick thought came to him. Suppose he did the brownie's work himself! She would be just as surprised to find it done.

He couldn't light the fire, because mamma did not allow him to touch matches, and he stood a moment thinking what he could do.

Why, bring in the wood, of course! And out he hurried, toboggan cap on his head and coal bucket in his hand, to begin the job. It was surprising how much fun there was in carrying in load after load and piling it into the woodbox. He had just finished and was sweeping up the dirt he had made when he heard his mother coming and calling him.

Harold ran through the outer door into her room, pulled off his shoes and jumped into bed, clothes and all.

"Ma'am!" he answered, when he was safely in.

"Why, Harold," said his mother, coming back. "where were you when I got you just now? And what are you doing

CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS

HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS FROM OUR OWN AND OTHER COUNTRIES OF RECENT OCCURRENCE.

CANADA.

Toronto's share of the street railway receipts for August amounted to \$43,770.

Passenger trains may be running into Toronto on the James Bay Railway within two weeks.

Samples of milk from Toronto analyzed at Ottawa were more than half adulterated or doubtful.

Fourteen men were injured by an explosion of gas at the Toronto Gas Company's works, on Saturday.

Discovery of silver on the farm of Mr. McNiff in Haliburton has caused much excitement in the neighborhood.

The next issue of the Canada Gazette will contain a proclamation fixing Thursday, October 18, for Thanksgiving Day.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson said at St. John that the I.C.R. would be double-tracked next year from Hampton to St. John.

C. P. R. surveyors are in Belleville with the object, it is stated, of locating a new line between Toronto and Montreal.

Mrs. Louisa Smith of St. Thomas, arrested on Saturday on a charge of murdering her daughter's infant, admitted giving the child poison.

Mr. W. D. Robb announces that the Grand Trunk shops at Stratford will not be enlarged this year, as planned, owing to the lateness of the season.

Prof. Macoun, naturalist to the Dominion Government, has returned from making a study of vegetation along the route of the G.T.P.

Mr. A. H. W. Cleave, who has been appointed Superintendent of the Coining Department, Ottawa branch, Royal Mint, has arrived in Ottawa from England.

Lieut.-Col. W. T. Bridges, Royal Australia Artillery and Chief Intelligence Officer of the Commonwealth forces, is at Ottawa to study the militia system.

It is stated that arrangements for the transfer of Halifax dockyards to Canada are practically completed, and that the Dominion Government will assume control about the middle of October.

Lieutenant-Governor Dunsmuir of British Columbia has offered, upon \$50,000 being raised, to build and equip a tuberculosis sanitarium in the dry belt of the province and to augment the subscriptions by \$10,000.

John Bishop, a deserter from the Allan liner Victorian who was arrested in Toronto, was sentenced in Montreal for the maximum term of twelve weeks. The company propose to end the wholesale desertions that have taken place.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Hon. Frank Oliver said in an interview at London that Canadians were all Imperialists.

The suggestion is made that Canada acquire the Lord Amherst library. It is valued at £150,000.

In celebration of the quarto-centenary of Aberdeen University, Lord Strathcona, on Sept. 27th, will dine 2,400 guests.

UNITED STATES.

Robert Gordon, 16 years of age, beat an eight-year-old lad into insensibility at Chicago, and buried him alive.

Arthur D. Reeve, teller of the Security Trust Co., Troy, N.Y., was \$10,000 short in his accounts, and committed suicide.

By the collapse of a floor in a factory building under construction at Elyria, Ohio, on Thursday, three men were killed and twelve injured.

Because the jury found him responsible for the fatal traction accident near

MILK-FED PUMPKIN LATEST.

PINT A DAY DEVELOPED IT INTO MONSTER OF 100 POUNDS' WEIGHT.

A despatch from Bloomington, Ill., says: A milk-fed pumpkin is the latest development in agricultural circles. Two pumpkins, grown on the same vine, were on exhibition at the Tazewell County fair. They stood side by side, but one was ten times larger than the other. The giant was given a pint of milk a day through a hole cut in the vine which was attached to the stem. The milk was completely absorbed overnight. The small brother attained natural growth, but the milk-fed one weighed 100 pounds.

MUST BREAK A RECORD.

C.P.R. STEAMER HURRYING ACROSS PACIFIC WITH ENGLISH MAIL.

A Victoria, B. C., despatch says: The Canadian Pacific Railroad steamer Empress of China sailed on Wednesday on her new mail schedule carrying the British mails in an effort to land the mails at Hong Kong 30 days from London. This involves a record passage across the Pacific.

BOYS LOSE THEIR RIGHT ARMS.

TWO RECEIVE INJURIES IN WINNIPEG OF SIMILAR CHARACTER.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: Harold Griffith, of Norwood, was thrown under the wheels of a work car on the Street Railway on Wednesday and his right arm was nearly cut off near the shoulder. The victim is 17 years of age, and now lies at the Winnipeg General Hospital in a critical condition.

A similar accident occurred on Main Street, when a boy named Hanley, 15 years old, a messenger of the C. N. R. Telegraphs, rolled under the wheels of a car and lost his right arm. The right grip of his wheel handle came off, causing him to lose his balance.

NEW ENGINES FOR C. P. R.

FIFTY ORDERED FROM MONTREAL MACHINE CO.—ANGUS SHOPS' OUTPUT.

A Montreal despatch says: The C. P. R. have placed an order with the Locomotive & Machine Company, Montreal, for fifty locomotives of the heavy consolidated type for freights. These engines will mean a total outlay of almost one million dollars. While the order is being filled the C. P. R. Angus shops will continue to turn out one engine a week. This means that within the next year the locomotive equipment of the company will be increased by a hundred of the most modern and efficient engines.

DEAD BESIDE HIS PLOW.

SUDDEN DEATH OF WELL-KNOWN FARMER NEAR ELORA.

A despatch from Guelph says: Mr. John Mutrie, one of the best known residents of the Township of Pilkington, near Elora, was found dead beside a plow on Thursday. Mr. Mutrie had not been in good health for some time past. He was engaged at plowing, and was in the house a little before 11 o'clock. Some time after, as he had not come in to dinner, Mrs. Mutrie went out to see what was detaining him. She found the team standing in the field and Mr. Mutrie lying dead, the reins in his hands.

RIOTING IN JAPAN.

TRouble BETWEEN STREET CAR COMPANIES AND EMPLOYEES.

A despatch from Tokio says: The trouble between the street car compa-

HEALTH

JUICY FRUITS.

That the juicy fruits are a valuable item in our diet is by no means a new idea. It has long been known that the salts which they contain are useful to the tissues, while the indigestible fibre is in many cases an excellent preventive of constipation. It is a salutary irritant to the intestines. But these benefits of fruit-eating do not stand alone. There are other equally important effects.

Much of the iron which we take with our food is not assimilated because of its insolubility. This is of little consequence when the blood is up to par but in anemic people it is a serious matter. The organic fruit acids combined with the iron of the more soluble foods form salts. These are known as malates, citrates, and so on. They are acted upon by the digestive juices which are far down in the intestines, and here the iron becomes soluble and non-irritating.

Many of the common fruits also contain ferments which are most useful in digestion. They act on the coagulated albumen of egg and of fresh meat.

A simple experiment will show this property in strawberries. On the bottom of a glass dish put a double layer of thinly sliced fresh ripe strawberries. Next put a layer of thinly sliced coagulated egg albumen, completing the sandwich by a duplicate layer of the strawberries. At summer heat, after eight hours, the albumen is slowly digested, as has been proved by expert chemical tests.

Rich cherries act in the same way. The action of orange juice which is kept perfectly free from the rind also has a slight digestive effect on coagulated egg albumen. In comparing the action of pear juice and apple juice, it is found that pear juice has a more powerful digestive action than apple juice.

Fruits are better when ripe and fresh. The ferments are destroyed by prolonged high temperature. It must not be thought, however, that baking and stewing fruit entirely destroys its digestive ferments. To do this completely the heat must be very prolonged. A good test of the digestive power of the fruit is the presence or absence of its original flavor. If by cooking the fruit all of its flavor is lost, one may say that the ferment has been entirely destroyed.

Juicy fruits are most beneficial when eaten at the end of the chief meal of the day. To this statement there are some exceptions. Bananas have little digestive action. They may be eaten with any meal. Bananas are as much a food as a fruit. When the stomach can tolerate them, stewed figs or apples may be eaten before breakfast. They are advised for their laxative effects. Half a dozen stewed prunes will often have the same effect when eaten half an hour before breakfast. Twice as many, if eaten with the meal or after it, may be without effect.

Cares should be taken not to eat many fruits on an empty stomach, for they frequently cause acidity. Grapes rank high in this category, and should be eaten at the end of the heaviest meal.—Youth's Companion.

CARE OF EARS.

Never put anything into the ear for the relief of toothache.

Never wear cotton in the ears if they are discharging.

Never apply a poultice to the inside of the canal of the ear.

Never drop anything into the ear unless it has been previously warmed.

Never use anything but a syringe and warm water for cleansing the ears.

Never strike or box a child's ears; this has been known to rupture the

jumped into bed, clothes and all.

"Ma'am!" he answered, when he was safely in.

"Why, Harold," said his mother, coming back, "where were you when I got up just now? And what are you doing with your clothes on?" she added in surprise.

"Mamma," said Harold, "it's a secret I'm having. Won't you please let me have it for a secret?"

"I will this time," said his mother. "But you mustn't get up so early again. Little boys need lots of sleep, so they can grow big and strong, and they mustn't get up till their mothers tell them to."

When they opened the kitchen door, Harold watched his mother's face as she caught sight of the wood-box, and laughed when he saw how astonished she looked.

"Who in the world did this?" she exclaimed. "Harold did you put milk in the cellar and bring a brownie?"

"Yes, ma'am. I did; but he was a horrid, greedy brownie. He drank up the milk and didn't do his work either!"

"Then who did all this work?"

"Oh, a kind of a brownie, but not a real one, replied Harold. I 'spect he'll do things for you every day if you don't look."

"Well, that will be nice," said his mother. "to have a brownie houseboy. Only he mustn't try to do things too early in the morning."

"Maybe that's the reason brownie's are so little," said Harold. "They get up so early that they don't get enough sleep and stop growin'. Mamma, do you think it was a brownie that drank that milk?"

"Don't ask me. Ask another member of the family," replied mamma.

"But there isn't anybody else 'cept papa and little sister, and little sister can't talk."

"Neither can the member of the family I mean," said his mother, smiling.

"Oh, who is it? Please tell me, mamma."

"Listen," said his mother. "There she is now."

Harold listened.

"Me-ow," came a voice at the kitchen door. "Me-ow—me-ow."

SWEPT OVER CATARACT.

Italian Laborer Fell From Cribwork Above Niagara Falls..

A despatch from Niagara Falls, Ont., says: Antonio Guillespo, a laborer, employed by the Canadian Niagara Power Company, while working on their crib-work on Thursday afternoon, lost his balance, and fell into the river, and was swept over the Falls. He had been in the employ of the company but two days, and had been warned of the dangers of the place where he was working. Other men on the works say he lost his life by his own recklessness. His hat was drawn into the Canadian Niagara Power Company's intake. The man had been in this country but a short time.

CANADA IN YORKSHIRE MARCHES.

Demand for Cheese from Dominion Increasing—Hints to Shippers.

A despatch from Ottawa says: A report received from Mr. J. B. Jackson, commercial agent for Canada at Leeds, reviews the conditions of the Yorkshire markets as applicable to Canadian trade. Mr. Jackson gives some hints regarding the packing of fruit in view of the opening up of the export season from Canada. He says that the boot and shoe business in Leeds is flourishing, that a well-known manufacturer in that city is about to open up an agency at Montreal, and that other Yorkshire firms are looking into the condition of the Canadian market. The engineering business in Yorkshire is brisk. There is an extensive demand for Canadian spring mattresses. The demand for Canadian cheese has increased in Yorkshire in view of the Chicago canned meat revelations.

By the collapse of a floor in a factory building under construction at Elyria, Ohio, on Thursday, three men were killed and twelve injured.

Because the jury found him responsible for the fatal traction accident near Mattoon, John C. Backus, Assistant Superintendent of the Central Illinois Traction Co., committed suicide.

Too proud to accept alms which would have been freely given, Miss Annie Smith, seventy-three years old, was found dead of starvation in her home at New Haven, Conn., on Thursday.

GENERAL.

Advice from Kingston, St. Vincent, B.W.I., report that Soufriere volcano is again active.

MONTREAL HOTEL SET ON FIRE.

Paper Saturated with Coal Oil Was Heaped Behind the Bar.

A despatch from Montreal says: A daring act of incendiarism was committed on Wednesday night when a hotel at No. 1 Papineau Square was seriously gutted by fire. The blaze was discovered by a police officer in time to prevent the whole square from being destroyed. When the police and firemen forced an entrance they found an immense quantity of paper, saturated with coal oil, piled behind the bar. The rear of the place was all ablaze. Alphonse Daigneault and Josephine Perrault were found in the building, and they were placed under arrest, and were arraigned in the Police Court on a charge of having set fire to the building. They both pleaded not guilty and were remanded until next Wednesday.

ATTACKED BY LIONS.

Crowd at Fair Grounds Witness Thrilling Sight.

A Watertown, N. Y., despatch says: Capt. Richard Bass, a lion trainer, had a narrow escape from being torn to pieces at the Jefferson County Fair grounds late on Thursday afternoon. Bass was in a cage making three lions perform in the presence of a crowd of several hundred persons, when one of the beasts leaped upon him from behind and buried its teeth in his back. The trainer managed to keep his feet and beat the animal off, escaping with a painful laceration and a few scratches. He was taken to a hospital.

LOST IN THE WOODS.

William Pink, an Englishman, Wanders Nearly Three Days.

A Winnipeg despatch says: Wm. Pink an Englishman, employed in Greer's camp on the G. T. P., fifteen miles from the C. P. R., left camp early on Sunday morning for Niblock. He lost his way and wandered aimlessly through the bushes until Tuesday afternoon without food or shelter. He reached the track in an exhausted condition. Pink has decided that he has had enough adventures in Canada, and will return to England.

LUMBER MILLS SHUT DOWN.

Low Water in Ottawa Has Checked the Supply of Logs.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The water is so low in the Ottawa River that it is impossible to get logs over the slide in Hull, and as a consequence mills whose supply comes from the Upper Ottawa have been forced to shut down. At Hawkesbury the big mills of the Hawkesbury Lumber Company are idle and about six hundred men are out of employment. In Hull the Eddy Company's saw mill has suspended operations in the day-time, and runs only at night. At J. R. Booth's the big mill is running full in the day-time, but only half of it is operated at night. It is years since the water has been anywhere near so low as it is at present.

Trouble Between Street Car Companies and Employees.

A despatch from Tokio says: The trouble between the street car companies and their employees resulted on Wednesday night in a demonstration that degenerated into incipient rioting in several districts. Cars were stopped by mobs throughout the city, and five of them were smashed to bits. Several persons were seriously injured. Further agitation is expected.

KILLED BY RATS.

Paralytic and Helpless Old Woman Met Awful Fate.

A New York despatch says: Mrs. Elizabeth Vanhart, a paralytic, 60 years of age, was killed by rats in her home in Elizabeth, N. J., on Thursday. Mrs. Vanhart lived alone. Her daughter-in-law called early in the day and found her dead. Rats had attacked the helpless old woman as she sat in a chair, possibly asleep, and severed an artery in one of her feet that caused her to bleed to death. The flesh of both feet was much torn by the rodents.

GOOD LAND STILL UNSETTLED.

Experts Report on Grand Trunk Pacific Route in West.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Prof. Macoun, the well-known naturalist of the Dominion Government, has just returned from a long tour in the Northwest, where he had charge of a party formed for making a study of the vegetation and soil along the route of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. Prof. Macoun spent the whole summer travelling from Portage la Prairie to Edmonton, studying the plants and animals and endeavoring to form an estimate of the resources of the country. He says there is splendid land not yet reached by the settler.

BIG DAIRY BURNED.

Loss of Seven Thousand Dollars by Fire in Manitoba.

A St. Boniface, Man., despatch says: Paquin's dairy, the biggest dairy on the east side of the Red River, was totally destroyed by fire on Thursday, entailing a loss of \$7,000. The stables and barn, erected at a cost of \$5,000, caught fire first, supposed by reason of a horse stamping on some parlor matches and setting fire to the straw on the ground. The windmill, pump-house, and other buildings except the Paquin residence, were also burned. The dairy is on the Springfield Road and outside of the town limits, and it was impossible for the fire brigade to get water to extinguish the flames.

DAVE MEN GET MEDALS.

Presentation to Officers of the Ionian at Liverpool.

A despatch from London says: At the office of the Allan Line, Liverpool, on Wednesday, Capt. Nunn, and Miller, the second officer of the Ionian, were presented with silver medals and the certificates awarded them by the Liverpool Shipwreck Humane Society for brave conduct in rescuing the crew of the Norwegian barque Trio in mid-Atlantic last May.

INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION.

July Returns Show 5,932 More Arrivals Than Last Year.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The returns of the Immigration Department show that the arrivals in Canada for July were 18,176, or 5,932 more than for July last year. The arrivals by ocean ports were 13,207, an increase of 45 per cent., and from the United States 4,099, an increase of 50 per cent.

Never drop anything into the ear unless it has been previously warmed.

Never use anything but a syringe and warm water for cleansing the ears.

Never strike or box a child's ears; this has been known to rupture the drumhead and cause incurable deafness.

Never allow the hair to remain wet if you have a tendency to deafness; wear an oiled-silk cap when bathing and refrain from diving.

Never scratch the ears with anything but the finger if they itch. Do not use the head of a pin, hairpins, pencil tips or anything of that nature.

Never let the feet become cold and damp or sit with the back toward a window, as those things tend to aggravate any existing hardness of hearing.

Never put milk, fat or any oil substance into the ear for the relief of pain for they soon become rancid and tend to incite inflammation. Simple warm water will answer the purpose better than anything else.

Never meddle with the ear if a foreign body enters it; leave it absolutely alone, but have a physician attend to it. More damage has been done by injudicious attempts at the extraction of a foreign body than could ever come from its presence in the ear.

FRUIT FOR BREAKFAST.

It is a good thing to eat fresh fruit for breakfast, and baked or stewed apples generally agree with the most delicate digestion. Green or half-ripe apples, stewed and sweetened, are always a good summer dish, and raw apples are better than many liver pills. Oranges are extremely wholesome, as a rule, and tomatoes are beneficial, but the skins of the latter should not be eaten.

FOR THE TEETH.

To keep the teeth healthy and clean, brush regularly night and morning, using the brush with an up and down motion. Nor should the backs of the teeth be neglected, for it is here that the tartar, that in time tends to loosen them, accumulates. Precipitated chalk is one of the cheapest and best dentifrices.

HORSES AND ALL BURNED.

Peculiar Accident Near Macgregor, Manitoba.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: A peculiar mishap at the farm of W. Jeffries, near Macgregor, on Saturday. While a team and load of shaves were passing a thrashing engine, a spark set fire to the load and the horses, taking fright, ran away, and crammed the wagon, which was consumed, together with the animals. The fire also spread to the separator before being extinguished.

GUARDING ST. LAWRENCE.

Powerful Guns in New Fortifications Below Quebec.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Over 100 men are now employed upon the new fortifications, which are being erected ten miles below Quebec by the Militia Department. The fortifications consist of two masked batteries, each mounting two guns of the latest and most powerful description, and capable of sweeping a 12-mile stretch of the St. Lawrence. It is estimated that the work will be completed in two years.

A countryman walking along the streets found his progress stopped by a barricade of wood. "What's this for?" said he, to a person standing by. "Oh, that's to stop the fever from spreading," replied the other, by way of being jocular. "Ah," said the countryman, "I've often heard of the Board of Health, but I never saw it afore."

"Are you at all familiar with Plato?" asked Mr. Oldcastle. "No, that's one thing Josiah always blames me for. He says I never make real close friends with anybody."

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St. John N. B. Globe,

Under the existing law the bounties paid on steel and iron will cease to be payable in a year or two, but already there is an energetic lobby at work to secure their continuance, and that is ever the way in regard to protection, no matter what form it assumes.

Kingston Whig.

Do you notice how silent the conservative papers are with regard to the Healey's Falls deal? Scandal, do you say? It could be called scandal of the most flagrant kind because the Whig government was pledged noisily against transactions of this kind.

Toronto Globe

"We are all Imperialists in Canada" says Hon. Frank Oliver in England, and certainly none has a better right to say it than the man who has taken up the task of transplanting Britshers from their overcrowded islands to our western prairies. There is no better imperialism than that which makes prosperous and contented citizens within the empire.

Montreal Gazette

A convention of Ontario farmers, held the other day in Toronto, declared in favor of a two cents per mile passenger rate on the railways. A convention of railwaymen next week may demand a fifteen cents per pound limit to the price of butter.

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Some years ago while I was making researches in an excavation near Frankfort, O., the center wall of the mound was undermined by the workmen, and I was struck by a mass of falling earth. I had just stooped to examine a small bone which had been uncovered when earth to the amount of several cart loads dropped on me. No one else was in the excavation, the men having gone to the top of the mound.

The falling mass knocked me backward, and I fell with my head and shoulders on a small heap of earth. The falling wall of earth looked black to me, and I well remember the rush of wind it brought.

At first I felt little pain, only intense pressure, which forced the buttons of my costume partly inside my flesh. My watch was pressed tight against two ribs which were broken. The skin on my forehead seemed cut, but it was the pressure of my hat forcing the flesh between the straw. The knife in my pocket seemed burning hot. Just under the small of my back was a large clod which gave me unendurable pain, as if

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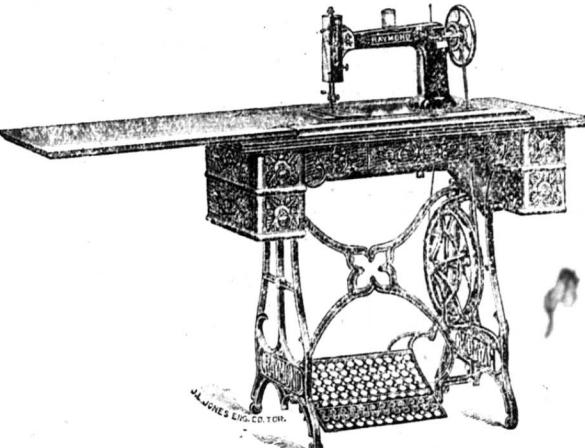
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on my forehead seemed cut, but it was the pressure of my hat forcing the flesh between the straw. The knife in my pocket seemed burning hot. Just under the small of my back was a large clot which gave me unendurable pain, as if my spine were slowly breaking. Then it stopped, and I felt nothing.

Thoughts raced through my head like lightning, thoughts of the past, present and future. I remember trying in vain to move a hand or a finger. I was perfectly motionless. My chest could not be inflated, and the downward pressure had forced the air out of my lungs. I could move my chin and open and shut my mouth. I tried to keep my mouth closed to prevent its being filled, but it instinctively opened, and the earth fell in. Then the assurance of strangling came to me, but I did not much care.

It was just sixty seconds, the surveyor said, before the men reached me and I felt the earth move slightly. A shovel struck my scalp and cut me. It felt like redhot iron. When my head was uncovered the pressure on my body was so great the blood was forced to my head until my rescuers feared my veins would burst.

I observed everything, but could not move. The partial paralysis lasted several days. I have never wholly recovered from the effects of my adventure. I cannot enter a cave or stand near a bank of earth without terrible sensations.

Base Slander.

"Your husband," said Mrs. Highmunt graciously, "is decidedly interesting and original, even if he does sometimes blow his own horn a little too!"

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Dress of a Dandy of the Early Nineteenth Century.

A cure for the confirmed rainer against modern dress might be a course of inspection through a file of old fashion magazines or the perusal of such accounts as are given by the author of "Sketches of Lynn." The description is that of a suit worn in the first part of the nineteenth century.

The boots were an important article of dress. The toes were made as broad as the ball of the foot, with the corners well rounded, giving the shoe the resemblance to the snout of a shovel nosed shark. They were very snug and required strong straps. In order to get into a fashionable pair the heel of the stocking was well soaped and some pulverized soap sprinkled into the boot. The length of time it took to get one on depended on the strength of the owner and the strap.

The stylish overcoat displayed five capes, one above the other. The trousers were expected to fit as tight as the skin. Just how they were put on is a mystery. The coat was especially snug under the sleeves, and the velvet collar scraped up the back of the head. The camlet overcoats after a little wear, became as stiff as birch bark.

The thing worn about the neck was called a stock. This name was appropriate in its suggestion of an instrument of punishment. The stock was from three to six inches high, and was made stiff. A man was forced to look straight ahead. Only by careful management could be see a little on either side. About halfway between his eyes and ears two little points of collar stuck up like toothpicks.

Ruffled bosoms and wristbands finished the costume, with the addition of a tall silk hat. When inclosed in this manner with a dash of attar of roses on his handkerchief, the man of the period was considered irresistible.

TOO HUMBLE A HUSBAND.

Position of Prince Albert, Royal Consort of Queen Victoria.

A woman looked up with a laugh from a heavy volume she was reading.

"Now I know," she said, "why Queen Victoria was so fond of the prince consort. This husband did not merely regard his wife as his equal; he regarded her as immeasurably his superior, saying that it was his duty to sink his own individual existence in her. Listen to this letter that Prince Albert wrote to the Duke of Wellington. Here is a champion of women's rights indeed. Don't you think, though, it is going too far for a man to humble himself so low as this?"

She then read from her book in a sarcastic voice:

My Dear Duke—In the question whether it is advisable that I should take the command of the army I have come to the conclusion that my decision ought entirely to be guided by the consideration whether it would interfere with or assist my position of consort to the sovereign. This position is a most peculiar and delicate one. While a female sovereign has a great many disadvantages in comparison with a king, yet if she is married and her husband understands and does his duty her position, on the other hand, has many compensatory advantages and in the long run will be found to be stronger even than that of the male sovereign. But this requires that the husband should entirely sink his own individual existence in that of his wife and that he should aim at no power by himself or for himself, being content to be the husband of the queen, the private secretary of the sovereign and the tutor of the royal children.

THE GOOD OLD DAYS.

Try Now the Ways of Yore and See How You Like Them.

Good old times, says the San Antonio Light, are a delusion and a snare, and the man who sighs for them has little conception of what they were. Return to them, would you? Then rise on a cold morning and wash at the pump, pull on a pair of rawhide boots that rival a tin can in stiffness, pull on a wooden shirt over your back and sit down to a bare meal with your three legged stool dancing around on a split slab floor, eat corn pone and bacon for a steady diet and labor fourteen hours out of twenty-four. Go without a daily paper, a fly screen, a mosquito bar, a spring mattress, a kerosene lamp, geychaw your oven to market and sit on the floor of an ox cart as you wend your way to church or a frolic. Parch corn and peas for coffee and sassafras for tea and see how you like it.

The old days are looked backward to affectionately, says the Galveston News, because they were the days of our youth, of bounding blood and supple joints, the days of hope and the days of love and laughter and song. The days of the present will be the good old days of the coming generation and will be regarded by our successors as rather crude in customs and harsh in many ways, yet withal not to be despised. The progressives of our age are the mossbacks of later eras. Fifty years hence we will be accounted as slow and immature as we now regard those of half a century ago.

The Society Way.

Duty called.

The man looked at the card lazily. "Just say that I'm not at home," he ordered the maid.



FREE SAMPLE BOX.

Cut this out and post to Bilean Co., Toronto, with cent stamp to pay return postage, and free sample will be sent you.

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This scheme had good results at first. Wealthy landowners who had oppressed their neighbors with impunity were brought before this court, where neither fear nor favor could avail, and tried for their offenses. The greatest merit of the court was that it was not dependent on a jury, for juries were unable or unwilling to render a verdict in keeping with their consciences.

One said, "A court thus constituted, with powers so broad and a discretion unlimited by prescribed rules, though called into existence for wise and salutary purposes, was in the end like invoking the spirit of mischief without a corresponding power in reserve to lay it or check its excesses if inclined to abuse its authority."

Instead of losing power as the necessity for its existence passed away it drew to itself new elements of strength and enlarged the extent of its jurisdiction. It became, after successive administrations, under the hands of ambitious leaders such as flourished in the time of Henry VIII., Elizabeth and the two Stuarts, a most potent engine of despotic rule and intolerance. Torture, intimidation and other devices were used to compel the accused to incriminate himself.

Charles I., through the star chamber, filled his coffers. During his reign such enormous fines were imposed for trivial offenses that the audience gathered about the courtroom at 3 o'clock in the morning to secure seats to hear the proceedings. The discretionary power of the court in the way of punishment made it a means of cruel injustice in the hands of bad men, instances of which disgrace the history of its administration during the reigns of James I. and Charles I.

One of the most remarkable cases was that of Bishop Williams, who had been lord keeper of the seal, a popular prelate and a man of learning and spirit and at one time a special favor-

The Earth's Three Motions.

The motion of the earth at the equator is equal to nearly 1,500 feet per second, and the earth has three motions—viz., the rotation on its axis in one day of twenty-four hours, the revolution around the sun in one year of 365½ days and a very slow gyration motion at the poles. This last mentioned motion is a very peculiar one and has not long been known. The poles move around the outside of a line at right angles to the plane of the ecliptic, coinciding with the line of axle rotation once in 25.838 years.

A Charming View.

Dawley (to the house agent)—I thought you said there was a charming view from the front windows. Why, there are only houses to be seen. House Agent—So there is a charming view, sir. In the house opposite lives the most beautiful widow you ever clapped eyes on, and she's always at the window.—London Fun.

Habit.

Habit is our primal fundamental law. Habit and imitation—there is nothing more perennial in us than these two. They are the source of all working and all apprenticeship, of all practice and all learning, in the world.—Carlyle.

Cutting.

Mrs. Enpeck—I think Mr. Mahlstick paints such lovely pictures. I think that I shall have him paint portraits of Henry and me together. Mrs. Cutting—Oh, I didn't know that he painted battle pictures.

The Lesser Evil.

"I don't see how she could possibly be sillier—she giggles so constantly."

"Well, if she didn't giggle all the time she might talk, and perhaps that would be worse."

ILLIUSNESS AND INDIGESTION.

These two ailments often accompany each other. When bile gets into the stomach it causes nausea. When in this state, if you get heated, you may turn sick. If you hurry—say to catch a street railway car—sick again. When you walk quickly, dizziness may overcome you. You may imagine you could relish food, and when it is placed before you, be obliged to turn away in disgust! Store girls, stenographers and women who spend a good deal of time indoors are particularly prone to biliusness and indigestion, and find Bileans a veritable boon.

EXTREME CASE YIELDS TO BILEANS.

Even extreme cases of biliusness and indigestion yield readily to Bileans. Don't think therefore that because up to now you have not found a cure that your case is beyond the power of Bileans! Mrs. A. Laverack, of Wakefield says:—"I had biliusness and indigestion very bad. Every day I was tormented with attacks of nausea and retching. All my friends thought I was almost beyond cure and I was as yellow as bee-wax. Headache continued unceasingly, and then I began to have attacks of ague and trembling fits. My tongue was thickly coated, my eyesight dim, and I always woke in the morning with a bitter taste in my mouth. This was my state when a neighbor advised me to try Bileans, saying they had cured both herself and husband of liver complaint and constipation. I took a supply and, my delight they soon began to do me good. I passed over with them in a few months. I was quite restored to health. I owe my wonderful recovery entirely to Bileans, and I shall never again be without a supply as long as I live."

WHAT BILEANS CURE.

Bileans are also a certain cure for debility, constipation, piles, anemia, headache, liver complaint, wind spasms, belching, blood impurities, female ailments and irregularities, and all ailments arising out of impaired digestion and liver disorder. Full drugstore, upon receipt of price. 6 boxes for \$2.50.

Ancient Stories of the Animal's Antipathy to Snakes.

There is no beast in the world to which more legendary virtues are attributed than the stag, partly owing to the tale of St. Hubert, partly to a supposed antipathy of stags toward serpents, partly to a peculiar mass of gristle in the shape of a cross which is found in the animal's heart. A whole book might be written on the

If you, your friends or relatives suffer with Fits, Epilepsy, St. Vitus' Dance, or Falling Sickness, write for a trial bottle and valuable treatise on such diseases to THE LEIBIG CO., 179 King Street, W., Toronto, Canada. All druggists sell or can obtain for you

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GENERAL PASSENGER TIME TABLE.

Western Standard Time.

Taking effect Jan 1st, 1906.

Bonduochburn and Tamworth to Napanee and Deseronto and Napanee to Bonduochburn and Tamworth.

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CAMDEN EAST

St. Luke's church was well filled with a splendid congregation Sunday evening last, when the Rev. L. Norman Tocker, D. C. L., preached on the subject of Missions in the great Northwest of Canada. The responses and singing were most hearty, reflecting the greatest credit on the organist and choir. The Rev. T. F. Dowdell, of Selby was present.

Sporting Goods.

Guns, Rifles, Loaded Shells, Cartridges, Wads, Reloading tools, Fishing Tackle, Trails, &c.

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BATH.

Rev. F. T. Dibb and Mrs. Dibb, of Napanee, are visiting at J. J. Johnston's.

Miss Hattie Smith, of Toronto, is visiting at Max Robinson's.

School opened on Tuesday last after the summer holidays, the teachers all having arrived. The only change in the staff is the principal. R. H. Hutchinson, former teacher, resigned to attend Queen's University. E. J. Keenan, of Barrie, has been engaged for the principalship of the school.

Max Robinson, Robert Mott, E. P. Sheppard, William Topliff, H. Overt and Cyrus Barriage attended the industrial exhibition in Toronto last week.

Mrs. Beach, of Athens, visited her brother, Dr. C. C. Nash on Saturday last.

Joseph F. Johnston, of Kingston, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Johnston, this week.

DESMOND.

The garden Party given by the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Quinn, at their residence at Desmond, was a very great success and thoroughly enjoyable by all who entered into the spirit of it. The Staff supplied with ice cream and soft drinks, was well patronized, and Mrs. John Milsap, Mrs. John Hanrahan, Mrs. Simon Shane, Mrs. Robert Milsap, and Mrs. Hughes assisted by Messrs Robert Milsap and Peter Quinn, waited most efficiently on the people. The Yarker Brass Band played well and a nice Programme was rendered in which Miss Beauman, Miss Gertrude Hanrahan, Mr. F. G. Miller, Mr. Landersand and Master Adam, Hamilton, took part. There was a splendid platform and the young people enjoyed immensely an audience. The grounds and House were well adapted for the holding of a grand party, the Flags and Chinese lanterns made them look bright and pretty and the moon shone out brightly making the evening a delightful one in every respect.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn are to be congratulated on the music attending and their kindness in giving them splendid grounds for the purpose. Proceeds \$59. Mr. Charles Dewey acted most efficiently as gate keeper.

DENBIGH.

Our farmers are about through harvesting and the threshing machines have started operations.

The municipal council for Denbigh, Abinger and Ashby, met on the 1st inst., at the Chatson House. Among other business the rates required for the current year were levied, and Anson Thompson, collector for last year, was re-appointed to the same office at a slight advance in salary.

Miss Genevieve Lane, Napanee, who has enjoyed a visit at her home and with other relatives, has returned to town. So has Miss Emma Stein, Renfrew, who also spent a month at her old home.

August Kittner, who sold his farm here to J. Bush, left Denbigh Saturday

WOMEN SUFFER NEEDLESS MISERY.

MISS MARY MAYER.



MRS. LIZZIE SHARPE.

MRS. JAMES GOLLOHER.

There are hundreds of thousands of women in America suffering from Pelvic Diseases, endangering their lives by neglecting treatment. If they will write to me I will give them the benefit of my extensive experience in treating this class of ailments.

—S. B. Hartman, M. D.

In view of the great multitude of women suffering from some form of female disease and yet unable to find any cure, Dr. Hartman, the renowned gynecologist, has announced his willingness to direct the treatment of as many cases as may make application to him during the summer months, without charge.

Miss Mary Mayer, 206 Delhi street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

"Before taking your medicine I was completely run down.

Headache and Backache.

"My back and head ached all the time and I was so nervous that it was impossible for me to attempt any work.

"After using two bottles of Peruna there was a wonderful change and I am now a well woman.

Gratitude.

"I cannot express my gratitude sufficiently and I am recommending it to all my friends."

Dr. Hartman's treatment will be conducted by correspondence.

The medicines prescribed can be obtained at all drug stores.

Complete Treatment.

The Doctor will prescribe all medicines, applications, hygienic and dietary regulations necessary to effect complete relief.

Furthermore, all correspondence will be held strictly confidential.

CHEESE BOARD.

Board met in Council Chamber in the town hall on Friday last.

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1 Napanee.....
2 Croydon.....
3 Cliverton.....
4 Tamworth.....
5 Sheffield.....
6 Moscow.....	80	
7 Petworth.....	75	
8 Phippen, No. 1.....	65	
9 " " 2.....	89	
10 " " 3.....	80	
11 Kingsford.....	55	
12 Forest Mills.....	60	
13 Union.....	105	
14 Odessa.....	90	
15 Excelsior.....

Entire System Affected.

Mrs. James Golloher, Norwood, Ontario, Can., writes:

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Mrs. Meeds—And did your husband die a natural death?

Mrs. Weeds—No, he died suddenly.

Mrs. Meeds—What was there unnatural about that?

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The Opinion She Sought.

"Well, what do you think of my new hat?" she asked.

"Do you want a candid opinion?" he questioned.

"Heavens, no!" she replied. "Say something nice."

And Insight.

"What happens when people fall in love at first sight?"

"Usually marriage and second sight."

Refrigerators and Hammocks.

There is a lot of warm weather yet before us and it will pay you to improve

WILL OTHER TROUBLES, has returned to town. So has Miss Emma Stein, Renfrew, who also spent a month at her old home.

August Kittner, who sold his farm here to J. Roblin, left Denbigh Saturday and will for a while at least, make Arnprior his home.

C. Breiter and daughter, Philadelphia, spent a couple of weeks here enjoying life in the Canadian back woods have returned to the city.

G. Stein, Fred Chatton and F. Falk are going to start on a trip to the North-West, with the intention of viewing the country and removing themselves permanently if they find it to their liking. A number of our young farmers sons also intend to leave home soon to look elsewhere for better paying employment until next spring or summer.

Rev. G. Daedesel has been very busy lately, and a good deal away from home. On Sunday the 12th ult., he assisted in conducting a series of missionary services at Eganville. On the 19th he took part at the dedication of a new church built by the congregation at Pembroke at a cost of upwards of \$15,000. On the 25th he conducted services at Denbigh in the forenoon, and at Raglan, Renfrew county, in the evening, and last Sunday he conducted service at Maynooth.

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Trade Emblems on Tombstones.

In Scotland it was for a long time usual to place on a man's tombstone the symbols of his trade. Especially was this the case at Dunblane, where, in the burial ground of the abbey, it has been found that of those tombstones which are from 100 to 200 years old about one-fourth are thus marked, the symbols being in low relief. A sugar cane may be seen as showing the grave of a grocer; an ax and saw, with hammer and nails, occur on the grave of a carpenter; an awl and a hammer on that of a shoemaker. There are many other graves similarly marked. —London Answers.

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An eyelash is pointed. A cut lash is blunt. A lash once cut never again becomes pointed. Every lash lives a variable time and then falls out to be replaced by a fresh one. When a cut lash so falls the newcomer is pointed. So any mischief resulting from cutting the lashes will be remedied by time. Opinions differ as to whether lash cutting promotes growth. This is very certain.

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Unnatural Finish.

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Mrs. Weeds—No, he died suddenly.

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Mrs. Weeds—Why, poor dear John was the slowest man that ever lived.

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IN ANGEL'S UNIFORM

The Story of a Great Betrayal.

Home—and Lottie! Dan Joyce, that staring man with the haggard, boyish face, at whom the other passengers had glanced so often, gripped his teeth to keep back a shout—or a sob. Home! For him, the gap in those white cliffs looked like the gate of a Paradise. Dear England—after two and a half years in the Australian bushland! London, and then—his precious Lottie, waiting for him all these dull months!

He would catch the pale, slight figure by surprise in his strong brown arms, and tell her that love alone had drawn him back six months before his allotted time, and how it had secretly almost broken his heart to leave her to her lonely nurse's routine, with only his old chum Ferrars to watch from a distance that no harm befell her. Only his love—not because of that incredible letter that had reached him in the wilds two months ago!

He was clutching it now. He would tear it up and throw the pieces at her feet. Her tired eyes would fill and brim over; she would sob out of his shoulder that she had written it on a wild, inexplicable impulse, when the loneliness of life seemed too heavy to bear. Yes. He had not once doubted it. His quiet, trusting Lottie! No, there was some strange mistake that would be puffed away in a moment. Ferrars would have whispered the word of comfort for him! Ferrars was the one man living whom he had cared to trust with his heart's deepest longing. For that last brief letter that her fingers had penned had been one to crush and brutalize any man not so sure of the woman he had asked to wait!

"Dear Mr. Joyce.—I shall not be able to write again. You will think it hard, for a time, maybe; but you would think still less of me as a woman if I let you go on hoping and looking forward. Against my will, my feelings have gradually changed. I shall only ask you, as a man, not to cause unnecessary pain by ever trying to see me again. I hold you to that. Good-bye,—Lottie Haynes."

Oh, to see her lips quiver close to his own again!—to kiss away all the haze of misunderstanding! Through all the long railway ride to Waterloo, and the rumble by bus to Brixton, he sat in a dull but sweet thrill. A little longer, and the golden sunlight would pour back into her lonely life. "Lottie! Lottie!" he was whispering to himself all the way.

Brixton—Amies Street—the house itself—at last! One look up to the never-forgotten corner window, and then he had grasped the knocker firmly. One minute more!... It passed. He was turning away, quite steadily, but with a queer pallor under his tan. Miss Haynes was gone away to some hospital, they told him, staring curiously; that was all they knew. Not that he had asked more; the lump in his throat stopped that. Lottie had promised never to give up that room of hers until he came to take her from it as his dear wife. She had gone, leaving no clue. He was too late!

Mechanically he moved away in the grey twilight. To where? All seemed changed; all was muffled and unreal—till he drew up in that quiver, Ferrars! He had been forgetting all else. Ferrars could surely tell him something. If there were some blow to be faced Ferrars' hand would be waiting to grip his in the silent grip of sympathy. The bare idea of going anywhere but straight as a die to his old chum's rooms!

Ten minutes more and he had reached them, and rung the same old bell. He waited his heart thumping dull.

past, seemed to see nothing. "I left her in your keeping, as my one friend on earth. You could have told me, for my life's happiness—and hers. You'll tell me now, because, night or day, I shall never rest until I have it from her own dear lips that woman's love—Lottie's love—could die like that."

A long silence. Dan was not quite sure—there seemed to come a thick mist over everything—but he believed that Ferrars had slipped from the room in that nameless pause. He knew nothing more for certain until Ferrars' hand closed upon his shoulder. Ferrars' voice itself seemed to come from a distance.

"Here, then, take this. I've written it; I've not told you—not broken my word literally. I can't stay to talk to-night; I have to be at the theatre by seven, and my friends are waiting. She's staying there, at that address, with friends, not far off. Send this telegram to her with your own hands. I tried to spare you pain by keeping silence. She won't see you—of that I'm certain; so this is supposed to come from a friend of hers, asking her to be at the main park gate by nine o'clock, on a life-and-death matter. It's quiet there—the gates close at dusk. Just this—I gave her my promise. Say nothing as to how you found out, and don't go near the house itself. Simply wait, and call here to-morrow to tell me. Old chap, it would be cruel to wish you luck!"

Some word rose in Dan's throat, but it would not sound. He pressed the other's hand and went out. Almost unconsciously he despatched the telegram. He was like a man moving without volition in a dark dream. And then at last he found himself standing under the tall poplars by the main park gate. He had set his teeth and nervously—wait. In that next hour the blow was to be driven home to his heart—or love would have brought Lottie back into his lonely life.

Eight o'clock. Nine o'clock! A thin powder of snow was falling. Past Nine. He stood on there in the grip of the cold lethargy because there seemed nowhere to go—nothing more to live for. And, then, suddenly, the great vague sobs shook him; a boom of sound went through his dulled brain.

Lottie! Over there, just about to cross the white stretch of roadway, came the dear, slight figure that had moved through his many dreams. He wanted to leap forward to shout her name; he could only stand rigid, struggling for the supreme effort of his lifetime.

She knew nothing. He could barely see her face beneath the lifted umbrella, but something in her quick, expectant step breathed unconsciousness of what lay before her. "Dearie! Dearie!" he whispered, his hands straining. She wore the same gray nurse's uniform, with the white collar and flowing skirts. He could recall every movement of her figure now. It seemed but yesterday that he had waited for her in the thrill of assured devotion. And to-night!—

She had paused, looking around. Only the kerb railing was between them. Then she had seen him, and given the thrilling little cry for which he waited. She realized! To her he was a ghost from a dead past. He could just make out the deathly whiteness of her face in the surrounding gloom. She had quivered back; she was going without a word—out of his life forever! Just in time his husky voice would sound.

"Lottie! Lottie, dear, hear me! One word—if you ever loved me!"

"Not one—not one!" She faltered it faintly, but with determination that went to his heart. "Don't come near me—I am not worth it! It was not—not like you to stoop to such a trick with a weak woman!"

"Hush! I won't move; I am not going to frighten you, dear! Only let me speak quietly; only tell me what it all means!" He stood motionless on his

down his square figure. He stood on, gazing blankly like a man through whose brain some lightning streak of revelation had flashed, leaving all darker than before. "What—what?"

He heard a knocking at the hall door below. And then a voice—low, clear, sad. A woman's voice; the voice that had answered him not an hour ago—Lottie's voice! Here!

He stumbled across. He had heard the maid answer that Mr. Ferrars was at home. He stood rooted, a hand to his forehead staring out. Was it real? Should he wake presently in a sweat to find himself still upon the ocean liner? For a door on that lower landing had opened, and Ferrars' pale, clear-cut face looked out. Ferrars, unconscious of his return to the house, had been in that other room all the while. And Ferrars had called anxiously down.

"Miss Haynes, is it?... Why, dear, what has brought you here? What is the matter? I was not well—I did not go to the rehearsal to-night. How strange you look! Come this way—sit down—tell me— you must!"

Flat to the wall the listening man shuddered back as Ferrars leaped up the stairs, sprang in, set the gas blazing, and reached out for a chair.

"No—no!" It was the same dear voice, but trembling, and somehow different; it went through Dan's brain with a strange thrill. "I could not rest—I was going straight on to the theatre to find you." She paused. Framed there in the doorway so close, she seemed to strain her hands together. "He is back!" came her whisper. "He is back in England—in London! He was seen only this afternoon. He went to my old address, someone told me. He looked ill and troubled. No, no—let me think. Archie, I can't—I can't be your wife yet. I think of him still—I must, whatever he has done, however faithless he may have been to me out there. You don't know; you couldn't understand a woman's heart. Oh, it

would break, if I thought he had come back to realize the love he had thrown away—come back to find me another man's promised wife! I wrote that letter. Yes, you made me; but something told me that a true woman would have waited to know from his own lips that he had met a woman he loved better. I have lived in an agony, and I wouldn't tell you; you had won my promise when all seemed so dark and bitter. He is here—here! Oh! if ever I thought that you—that you had tried to win me from him when he was not here to—"

"Lottie!" It broke in a moan from Dan's lips. "Lottie! He is here! Yes, here for love of you!"

He stood there, his shaking arms out. All was silence. The cry in her throat seemed to be frozen. Ferrars, his friend, had reeled back, and covered away as from a descending death-blow. Only his lips worked soundlessly as Dan Joyce took that second step, his finger pointing, his voice suddenly strong and calm.

"I know, I know now! What have you done? What have you written, to blacken my struggling life in her eyes? What part was it you played to-night—you, the actor—as the last vile resource of a man in extremity? The part that that paper says you play with such rare success?" There was no answer. He waited for none. He turned, his voice going soft. "Lottie! The light has come—Heaven meant this to happen. An hour more and I should have lost you—lost you to this man who has sunk himself body and soul to win you away in my absence—this man who could

veil himself in angel's uniform as a nurse—as your own self, to crush me with a lie! Believe it! Forget all else—let your own heart speak. You never doubted me; you were blinded, as I was blinded to-night, by the genius of a villain!"

"You wrote!" came the weak breath in that pause. Her dimmed eyes looked past as at something too deep to be understood. "You wrote twice, saving

HOME.

SOME DAINTY DISHES.

Boiled red cabbage makes a delicious vegetable course. Procure a good red cabbage, such as is generally used for pickling, boil it in milk, strain it and mash up with some butter, pepper, and salt, also a little vinegar. Serve this very hot with fried croutons of bread, and you will have a delicious vegetable course.

Cheese Savory.—Trim off the crust from two slices of a stale tin loaf, cut each slice into four squares and fry them a light brown in good beef dripping. Stew these very thickly with grated cheese, adding a little made mustard and a dust of cayenne pepper. Place in a hot oven till slightly brown. Scatter chopped parsley over and serve.

Liverpool Pie.—Line a shallow dish with a thin layer of pastry. Chop up some cold meat coarsely, with a boiled onion. Season with mixed herbs, pepper, and salt, mixing all together thoroughly and moistening with a little stock. Fill the dish, cover with nice crust. Bake till the pastry is cooked, and serve hot or cold according to taste.

Canary Cream.—Dissolve half an ounce of gelatin in half pint of water by first soaking and then heating. Strain and add the liquid of two small oranges, half the grated rind of one, half the juice of a lemon, the yolks of two eggs well beaten, and one and a half ounces of white sugar. Mix all thoroughly and stir in china-lined saucepan till it just boils. Then put into a mould and serve when cold.

Kedgeree can be made with any cold fish, picked carefully from the bones, either salt or fresh. Take a teacupful of boiled rice, one ounce of butter, a teaspoonful of mustard, two lightly boiled eggs; salt and cayenne to taste. Mix all these ingredients together in a saucepan, add the flaked fish, and heat. Place in a dainty pile on a hot dish and garnish with slices of hardboiled egg. A seasoning of curry-powder is an addition appreciated by most people.

A Delicious Savory.—Cut some thin slices of bread into circles, spread them with butter and cover each with a thin slice of cucumber seasoned with pepper and salt. Remove the oil, skin, and bones from some sardines, break the fillets up freely with a silver fork, flavor or with a squeeze of lemon juice, a drop or two of ketchup, pepper and salt. Put a layer of the sardine on the cucumber and press the slices together to form sandwiches. Garnish with slices of cucumber cut into fancy shapes and serve on a folded napkin.

Harecot of Veal.—Take two and a half pounds of the best end of a neck of veal, cut the bones quite short and leave the neck whole. Put the meat into a stewpan and cover with stock, simmer gently till nearly cooked, add one pint of green peas and a large cucumber peeled and cut into slices half an inch thick, some young carrots and two lettuces (each cut in four pieces). All the vegetables should previously have been stewed in a little broth. Cook all together with the meat for ten minutes, season with pepper and salt. Dish up the meat, put the vegetables over, thicken the gravy and color it a nice brown, stirring in some chopped parsley. Serve hot.

BERRY DAINTHIES.

Blackberry Pyramid.—Cook 1 teacup rice until thoroughly done; try not to break the grains or have them gummy. While hot spread a thin layer on a large plate and cover with large ripe berries. Put another layer of rice over these and so on, each layer a little

grip him in the silent grip of sympathy. The bare idea of going anywhere but straight as a die to his old chum's rooms!

Ten minutes more and he had reached them, and rung the same old bell. He waited, his heart thumping dully. Then the servant had answered; and the smile that dawned over her face seemed angel-like at such a moment. "Oh, yes, Mr. Ferrars is still with us! We knew he expected some friends, but he is not at home yet—." She hesitated.

"Thanks—thanks! Archie won't mind me waiting!" he said, clearing his husky throat. And he found himself going dazedly up the stairs and pushing at a door. How familiar, yet strange, it all seemed!

"Not in there, sir!" came up the maid's quick voice. "That's a store-room. Mr. Ferrars has all the first-floor suite now!" And he stumbled into a front room confusedly.

He moved to and fro, struggling to be calm, touching something here and there to convince himself that this at least was living reality, full of possibilities. He did not want to realize what these new, well-furnished rooms suggested—that Ferrars was pushing his way in the world as an actor, and had left him far behind in a background. He only wanted to grasp the same old hand.

And then presently he drew in his breath sharply. A sudden buzz of voices below; men laughing and chattering. Now they were coming up—Archie leaping on ahead. He could pick out the old careless, rich voice that he would know among thousands. They had all gone into that next room; he stood listening in a quiver, afraid to sound his own voice—he could not have told why, and then suddenly the door was pushed back, and Ferrars stood there. Ferrars not chinked an atom!—the old smile on his dark, keen, good-looking face.

It died out. Dan Joyce had sprung his hand out, that husky "Archie, old fellow!" warm and broken on his lips. But that was all. In the dying light all the blood had seemed to drain from Ferrars' face and left it gray; he stood like a thing of stone. For a full minute, while that muffled laughter came in from the next room, life seemed to have no meaning; and then with a little throat-rattle, Ferrars had closed the door and held it fast.

"You!" he strained out. "You here—back in England! What—what—?"

"I'm sorry," Dan whispered. "I never meant to give you that shock, Archie, she—she's gone! Gone!" His voice broke; he reached out again, gropingly. "Don't you remember? Don't you want me here? Won't you take my hand? I can go!"

And Ferrars, with what seemed the effort of a lifetime, moved forward, lit a tow gaslight, and took the hand. His own shook in the convulsive grip; it was damp and nerveless—it did not seem real flesh and muscle. But he had forced a faint little laugh.

"Dan! I thought of you as thousands of miles away, and—and to see you standing in my room!" The hand fell away. He stood back as if scarcely breathing, his face turned. He seemed to be listening to something more than the uncertain sounds in Dan's throat.

"Where is she?" Dan asked, thickly. "I came—I came home because I couldn't live longer without her. Tell me that, if you know, and I'll go. Where's my Lottie?"

"I do know." He had tiptoed to the door and clicked the key. When he turned there was sweat on his forehead, as after a great mental ordeal. Watching, the other stood motionless. "Dan!" it came across. "I do know—and can't help you. Now you know why I have not written lately—I could not, I heard—there was another man. What could I do when she asked me, or my honor, never to tell where she had gone? I promised; I had to. I can't break my word to a woman!"

"You must—and will." Dan whispered, never moving. His blue eyes, staring

like you to stoop to such a trick with a weak woman!"

"Hush! I won't move; I am not going to frighten you, dear! Only let me speak quietly; only tell me what it all means!" He stood motionless on his side of the front railing. She had gone back step by step; whatever the agony of self-suppression at such a moment, he must keep his distance or lose her. She had changed—yes! There was something in her attitude to-night, in her chilling resolution, that he had never known in the old days. His Lottie!—yet not the Lottie who had clung to him and bade him be strong and brave for her sake. "If you knew what I have suffered you would forgive me this!" he said, imploringly quiet. "It's all mist; I know nothing—except that I have done nothing to forfeit your love. I had your cruel letter and would not believe it; I came back home to tell you so. You never meant those words, Lottie, you can't—you won't—say that you have given to some other man what you gave to me—all that I held precious in life! I worked for you out there; I waited, for your future's sake; I never will believe that you turned from me of your own accord, knowing that I prayed for you on my knees every night—that I—"

It quavered off. His effort had been made. He caught at the rail and put a hand to his eyes. She was looking down as if in deepest shame, but without a visible tremor.

"It is too late," she said, in the same faint, cold way. She could pause to flick the snow-powder from her skirts, "I—I did not realize you would take it so to heart. There is no need to make a scene here; I am known, and—and I ought not to have been trapped by a trick like this. No, I can't tell you any more than I wrote. I don't ask you to forgive me, but just to forget me. If you persist now, I—I must go still farther away, and give up my work here. But, if you're the man I think, you'll go back and find some better woman who will repay you for all. I dare not stop; I must say—good-bye!"

"Good-bye!" The man's lips echoed it in a far-away whisper. His staring eyes saw nothing now. The lump in his throat could not be gulped back this time. Only once his hand wavered out, as if in hopes of touching hers; but the dear figure in gray had gone. Gone! He would never realize it—not in this life; but she was gone, forever.

Ten o'clock! A groping, haggard figure, he found himself back at the house where Archie Ferrars lived. He had no motive; he was moving still in the muffled dream. As he stood he saw the maid trip down the steps and leave the front door momentarily ajar. Never pausing to try and think, he went mechanically through, and up towards Ferrars' rooms. Instinct alone seemed to impel him toward that last possible refuge—the silent hand-grip of Ferrars, the man who had known all, and had kept a silence to save him pain.

In that front room the gaslight still burned, but no one was there. He moved to and fro just as before, with simply the dull idea that he had come to say "good-bye" before he turned back to that lone life in the bush. All unconsciously it was that he took up a newspaper lying there; vaguely his strained eyes focused a blue-pencil mark around one paragraph. He read and re-read as a child might have done.

"Successful male impersonators are legion; but it is rare indeed that we find the man who can don woman's garb, and do it with the graceful charm and femininity essentially exclusive to the tenderer sex. Mr. 'Archie' Ferrars has evidently made a careful study and mastered the subtleties of a difficult role. Not a few among his appreciative audience at the Ambigu last night were left sceptical as to the artist's real sex. Incidentally, we understand that any such doubts are dispelled by the fact that Mr. Ferrars is shortly to be married to a charming lady who . . ."

The paper fluttered from his fingers. He stood, tremble after tremble running

coupled me; you were blinded, as I was blinded to-night, by the genius of a villain!"

"You wrote!" came the weak breath in that pause. Her flamed eyes looked past as at something too deep to be understood. "You wrote twice, saying that you wished to release me. I was crushed; I had no one to turn to. And yet—and yet—oh, Dan!"

"Come to me," he whispered. "It's all dawning now! I never wrote that. My real letters have not reached you. Look! He has played many parts trusting that I should never come back in time; but to-night he has played his last. My friend! . . . Come to me, Lottie! Only believe, and love will bring the light!"

Next moment he stood in the glow of a happiness that paid for all. Two soft hands had framed his face; a slight breast heaved against his own; a trembling figure was locked within his arms, and he knew for certain that a woman's love, once given, can never be taken away. In that sweet pause Ferrars had stolen from the room—perhaps from the house; but neither knew it. The dawn of truth, after that long darkness, blotted out all else. Dan Joyce had come into his kingdom.—London Til-Bits.

GIRL SMUGGLER IN BATTLE.

Guards Passage of Her Sister Across Italian Frontier.

Two girls named Vachero, aged 17 and 19 years, have just accomplished a daring feat of smuggling. They belong to a family whose ancestors have been smugglers for a century. Their hunting grounds are in the mountains where the Swiss, Italian and Austrian frontiers nearly touch at the Stelvio Pass.

Many desperate fights with the Customs officials have taken place at this spot, until the Vacheros have been almost wiped out. There now remain of the family only the father and mother and the two daughters, who are the heroines of this latest exploit.

At present the father is suffering from a rifle shot through the elbow, which he describes as an "accident." He was unable to get a large cargo of tobacco across the Swiss frontier into Italy, and his daughters determined to smuggle the contraband themselves.

They started, but near the summit of the pass were discovered by two customs officials. While the elder girl proceeded on the journey the younger one kept the officers at bay with a rifle from a sheltered position. The men replied, and the fusilade continued until the sister with the tobacco had got a good half hour's start. The younger sister then disappeared, and returned home by making a long detour in the mountains, every path of which she knows.

PRACTICAL PATRIOTISM.

Chinese Lady Devotes Large Fortune to Service of Her Country.

Miss Hsu, of Szechuan, is a young lady of whom her native China may well be proud. The only child of the late Tao-tai Hsu Tsung, she received a careful education at an American mission, where as a child she showed great aptitude and promise. Her father's death left her at the age of 20 the sole heir to a fortune of \$500,000. Animated by sincere patriotism and desirous of making her fortune useful in the service of her country, Miss Hsu called a family council, and announced her intention to devote \$115,000 to the building and maintenance of a high school for girls, which should be a model establishment in China; \$10,000 to start a native progressive newspaper in her father's birthplace, Tcheng-tchang in Honan, and \$50,000 for a school in her own birthplace. Miss Hsu, who speaks English fluently, and has knowledge of German, has recently visited Pekin, whence she has started on an educational tour round the world, beginning with Japan where she is at present studying the system of female education.

rice until thoroughly done; try not to break the grains or have them gummy. While hot spread a thin layer on a large plate and cover with large ripe berries. Put another layer of rice over these and so on, each layer a little smaller around than the preceding one, so that, finished, you have a pyramid. Serve cold with sugar and cream. It will cut in nice slices.

Blackberry Sponge Pudding—Bake a thin sponge cake and cut in squares. Beat whites of 2 eggs stiff with one-quarter cup powdered sugar. Spread this over half the cake, placing large blackberries thickly in this frosting. Lay on the other half, then cover the top with berries and cover them with powdered cream. Serve with cream or whipped cream or milk.

Blueberry Gingerbread—Stir together 1 tablespoon butter, 1 egg and one-half cup sugar. Mix in 1 cup good molasses and one-half cup sweet milk. Sift together 1 pint flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder or soda, and pinch of salt. Mix this and 1 pint of berries with the first ingredients. Shallow pans are best and a sauce may be served with squares of the cake, if desired.

Cup Puddings—Make a batter of one-half cup sugar and 1 tablespoon butter, the beaten yolks of two eggs, one-half cup milk and pinch of salt. Mix this to a soft batter with flour in which 1 teaspoon baking powder has been stirred and stir in the beaten whites of the eggs. Butter some cups and fill one-third full with berries, dropping on top batter enough to make cups two-thirds full. Steam or bake about twenty minutes. The puddings may be eaten from the cups, or may be turned into other dishes and served with cream.

Pudding—Place a layer of uncooked blueberries in a glass dish. Cover with powdered sugar, then with whipped cream. Alternate in this way until the dish is full, the last layer being of cream. Chill thoroughly in ice and serve with tiny hot biscuit or shortcake, if desired. This is a very nice dish for lunch. The cream may be flavored with lemon.

Blueberry Bread Pudding—Line a pudding dish with pieces of buttered bread. Stew 1 quart blueberries, sweetening to taste, then pour into the dish and cover while hot with more pieces of buttered bread and let stand several hours. It will turn out of the dish whole and can be served with milk or any preferred sauce.

HINTS FOR THE HOME.

Cook acid fruits in earthenware pans and they will have a lovely color and superior flavor.

Bacon rinds, after being scalded and scraped, should be saved for flavoring soups and stews.

Panels of glass may be easily removed by being covered with soft soap for a few hours. This softens the putty, which can then be scraped off.

Before applying furniture polish, wring out a cloth from very hot water and rub it over the furniture; quickly wipe dry. Then apply the furniture polish in the usual way, and a very high polish may be obtained which will not frown mark.

To Keep Flowers Fresh.—Place the stalks in very hot water (roses will bear almost boiling water) and let them stand till the water is cold. Then mix a little carbonate of soda with the water in which flowers are arranged and they will often keep fresh a fortnight.

When Boiling either Beef or Ham, etc., to Serve Cold.—Immediately the meat is done plunge into cold water and let it remain for an hour. If pressed beef is to have this treatment, put the press and its contents in cold water as soon as possible after removing from the fire.

When Preserving Fruits.—If you wish your jams to be a good color and clear, boil the fruit before adding the sugar. By long boiling both before and after the addition of the sugar, but especially before, a smaller quantity of sugar will be found sufficient to preserve the fruit. To stir jams use a wooden spoon, and for strawberries use the stick end of the spoon, so as not to break the fruit.

BRITISH INDIFFERENCE

BIG BUSINESS WHICH JOHN BULL SCORNS.

Merchants and Manufacturers are Losing Trade to Foreign Competitors.

Some put it down to the British master, some to the man. Some blame Free Trade, and others the climate. But all are agreed upon one point, which is that British trade is not increasing in anything like an equal ratio to that of our German, American, Japanese, and other competitors, says Pearson's Weekly.

The real fact of the matter seems to be that our merchants and manufacturers—most of them at least—are content to rest on the laurels their fathers won. They won't go out and hunt for new fields for commerce, nor trouble to find out what new customers want.

To take a case in point. The Hindu, especially the educated or half-educated Bengali, has conceived such an affection for the umbrella that he would as soon think of leaving home without his clothes as without his gamp. At one time the Indian umbrella trade was in British hands, and millions of British umbrellas were sent to India for sale at a rupee and a half apiece.

But the wily German saw that an even cheaper article would find a market. He makes an umbrella for sale at eight annas (about eighteen cents), and is cutting out the British merchant. Remember, the natives' umbrella is

ONLY FOR SHOW, NOT USE;

but yet the British manufacturer has made no effort to compete with the German in the supply of a cheap article of this kind.

A Consular report from Alexandria has pointed out that the Egyptian egg is smaller than the English. There is a good opening in the land of the Nile for the sale of a smaller egg-cup than the ordinary. Yet our merchants continue to send the stock size, apparently considering such a trifling alteration quite beneath their notice.

Once we owned the South African needle trade. Our needles were excellent—none better. But in spite of all protests to the contrary, we insisted upon wrapping them in black paper, which the superstitious Spanish-American lower classes disliked. Along came the Germans with needles not half such good steel as ours, but wrapped daintily in scarlet paper. They very soon captured the whole trade.

In South Russia the women wear red handkerchiefs as head-dresses. Manchester used to supply them. They were oblong in shape, and over and over again the women begged that they might be supplied with square ones, which were

MORE CONVENIENT TO TIE.

But the Manchester makers only snorted when their travellers told them this. "We can't be bothered to put down a new plant just for the whim of a parcel of women," said they.

But it was not very long before a German bagnman nosing about in South Russia found out what was wanted, and promptly supplied it. The Russian women still wear red handkerchiefs, but they do not come from Manchester.

If you go to a tailor for a suit of clothes he puts bundles of patterns before you, and you choose for yourself the color and texture which you prefer. He does not take one roll of cloth from the shelf and say, "This is the fashion. This is what you require. I will measure you for a suit of this." Were the man of shears silly enough to do anything of the kind he would very soon lose all his custom, and appear in the Bankruptcy Court.

Yet, on a larger scale, that is exactly what the average British manufacturer

ON THE FARM

PREPARING LIVE STOCK FOR THE RING.

In the various live stock departments there is a certain class of professional exhibitors who need no instruction regarding the preparation of animals for the show ring. Some of them have certain methods of feeding and ways of handling live stock for rounding them off for exhibition purposes. It is impossible to secure a detailed description of their methods. As a rule, many breeders take their cattle direct from the pasture to the fair. A few weeks before the fair the cattle are brought in daily and kept up for a short time they become accustomed to their feeds. In this way they are not disturbed or affected by the sudden change when transferred from the pasture to the fair grounds stall. With plenty of good chopped hay in sacks, the exhibitor will be able to adjust the meal and cut feeds in sacks to the needs of the animals so that they may be kept on their proper feed and in good tone. Good alfalfa and clover well cut makes one of the most satisfactory cut feeds.

Care should be taken not to overcrowd the animals with food on the way to the fair. Frequently the appetite slackens in transportation and experience shows that it is better to keep them under, rather than overfed. The feed given them during transit should be dry rather than possessing too much succulence. It is a well-known fact that some animals will not take much water when on the road, hence the necessity of care in this respect. The individuals should be watched. The more nearly they can be kept and fed as they were when at home the better.

Animals should not be washed until they are thoroughly rested after their journey. The facilities for washing, including soap, brushes, buckets and plenty of fresh water. It is important that this work be pushed rapidly. Animals are taken to the fair for show purposes and the oftener they are in the show ring the better for the individual who shows them. After the animals have been thoroughly washed they should be groomed carefully daily, the more the better.

The character of the stalls and pens rests usually with the management. The exhibitor should be careful not to unduly expose a valuable animal to inclement weather. Frequently stalls are open and valuable animals are subject to drafts and beating rains during heavy storms. Frequently blankets can be tucked up affording ample protection. There should be more individual exhibits of first-class pure-bred stock from farms. Frequently stock of this sort take the ribbons away from professional showmen. It is competition like this that adds interests to the live stock department of an agricultural fair.

HINTS FOR THE PRUDENT FARMER.

October—Sow cover crops, rye and buckwheat, on ground that would otherwise be bare during winter. Late in the month harvest roots and store in pits or root cellar. Finish harvesting and storing apples, pears and grapes. Leave only hardy vegetables such as parsnips, Jerusalem artichokes, horseradish in the field. These may be dug as needed through the winter or in early spring. Fill cold frames with lettuce, radish and onion sets for winter use. Sow spinach for spring cutting. Transplant all flowers for house use before frost. Dig and start in a dry place cannas, gladioli and similar bulbs and roots. When temperature goes below 50 degrees at night start fire in the greenhouses. Plant last settings of strawberries in pots early in the month. Celery must have final earthing up. Asparagus and rhubarb for forcing must be dug and allowed to freeze before re-

LOVE'S WASTES

It Is Selfishness That Makes Man a Moral Pauper.

"To what purpose has this waste of the ointment been made?"—Mark xiv. 4. Love is a foolish thing to the man who has none; it is wasteful, extravagant, fruitless. Yet the riches of life spring from the wastes of love. Frigid Pharisees always are ready to sit and calculate what might have been done with the money that a great, loving heart flung away. If they had fed the poor of all the Orient with their penances the deed would have been forgotten long ago; it would have borne far less fruit than the act of the woman that looked so like folly to them.

To the calm economist love makes many mistakes; but heaven sees her prodigality is but seed sowing. The harvest lasts through the ages. It is not the good we do with calculating nicely that counts for most; that is but charity. Never until love lays hold of our lives and we fling away some things that men say we should prize do we know the joy of giving.

The world forgets the wise things it has done—the things that seem wise at the time of their doing. The world remembers the foolish things, those that men despised, counted quixotic, impulsive, and wasteful. It is a good deal more likely to remember Joseph's love for his brethren than all his executive ability in

STORING CORN IN EGYPT.

The day will come when we shall honor men not for their profits in the business of living—of these we may be ashamed—but for their gifts to life; when we shall know that there is no living without giving; that he alone finds life who loses it; that the measure of success is not the things of which we may die possessed, but the things of which our living has made the world to be possessed.

No matter how successful a man may have been in acquiring riches, he goes out of this world morally destitute if he has failed to lose some of his life, to scatter some of himself as seed sown for the future. He may wax fat and arrogant now, but none shall hang his

head lower when life is shown in its real value. God pity the man who has enriched his substance by impoverishing his soul.

And just there lies the secret of it all—the great advantage of love's wastes come back to the giver. A man is impoverished not by what he gives away, but by what he withholds. He is wasting his substance in the worst way who is seeking to store it all up for himself. The flowers cast their seeds with prodigal hands; the strict economist finds waste written all over nature; he knows not that that is the

SECRET OF HER WEALTH.

The heart grows rich by its losses; and as soon as we have learned that the heart is the true measure of life we begin to find our wealth not in getting but in giving. Many a man has gone down to death labeled a fool by this world's wisdom because he has been too generous to accumulate anything, who yet has taken more out of life than all his critics put together.

From the viewpoint of the infinite, the wastes, the follies, and the losses of true love are more than justified. The odor of that ointment has come down through the ages. It has prompted to a thousand generous deeds; it has taught man to spurn the calculating of profits and losses when some great purpose appealed to him. It has enriched the world with an ideal, something always and eternally worth more than all things real.

Whoso feels a fine impulse, such as stirred in the woman's breast, if he be wise, will not check or deny it. It is better to do the most foolish thing in love than the wisest in calculating selfishness. These hoice things of our lives, the memories we cherish, and the things that remain to cheer our often drooping hearts are the fruits of just such deeds; they are like flowers, sweet immortelles, springing from the seed lavishly scattered by love.

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THE S. S. LESSON

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Lesson XII. Jesus Silences the Pharisees and Sadducees. Golden Text: Mark 12. 17.

THE LESSON WORD STUDIES.

Note.—The text of the Revised Version is used as a basis for these Word Studies.

Pharisees, Herodians, Sadducees.—The Pharisees were a separatist-religious party. They represented the religious views, practices, and hopes of an earlier and less corrupt generation, and of a remnant of zealous Jews of the old orthodox school in their own time. As rigid legalists they were scrupulous observers of the law as interpreted by their learned scribes and rabbis, and of the ceremonial regulations touching levitical purity. They were pledged by the secret vows of their own order to conscientious payment of tithes and temple

one time allowed a special coinage to be struck for Judea on which the image did not appear. Hence Jesus says, "bring me," instead of simply "show me."

17. Render unto Caesar's—Pay to the emperor as a rightful obligation, every legal due.

And unto God the things that are God's—Possibly there is here a reference to the temple shekel, as well as to the deeper spiritual obligations to Jehovah.

They marvelled greatly—Appreciating at least the skill and shrewdness of his answer, if not also the deep spiritual insight involved therein.

18. The utter failure of the Pharisees to catch Jesus in their net of words must have given to the Sadducees much secret satisfaction. It is now their turn to question him. Theirs is, however, a doctrinal rather than a legal question, though equally subtle. It is aimed at discounting his standing as a teacher among the people, which would be involved in his failure to answer satisfactorily.

19. Moses wrote—in Deut. 5. 5 "If brethren dwell together, and one of them die, and have no son, the wife of the dead shall not be married without unto a stranger," etc. The purpose of the law was the preservation of families and family names, which under the old

you for a suit of this." Were the man of shears silly enough to do anything of the kind he would very soon lose all his custom, and appear in the Bankruptcy Court.

Yet, on a larger scale, that is exactly what the average British manufacturer is doing. He seems to fancy that, because a customer lives in America or Africa, he does not know what he wants.

AND MUST BE TAUGHT.

That plan was all very well in days when Britain had no serious competitor as a manufacturing country. To-day, when German, American, French, and Japanese travellers are doing all they know to suit every customer, it no longer answers.

Again, Jamaica, which had been using American locomotives, ordered some from a British firm. The latter were to cost nearly \$20,000 apiece, while the Americans only cost a little over \$10,000; but the Jamaican railway authorities considered that the superior quality of the British engines would pay them in the long run.

One of the new engines was tested with five loaded and two unloaded cars, and quite failed to pull them up a gradient which the American engines had regularly crossed with a similar load. The British makers had been instructed to build good hill-climbers, but instead had sent the ordinary pattern.

Such cases might be multiplied indefinitely. One of our latest losses is the match trade of Burmah, a small thing, perhaps, but still worth \$175,000 a year. Burmah is a damp country, and the heavy English match failed to keep alight, the wood collecting too much moisture. Japan saw what was needed, a smaller match with more resin in the wood. Now Japanese matches are used all through further India.

HER FATE DECIDED BY CARDS.

Hearts, Her Lucky Color, Failed to Turn Up.

Mlle. Nesthe, of Soleure, Switzerland, a handsome girl, gambled with death the other day—and lost.

Her father, who died recently by his own hand, was regarded as a wealthy man. His only daughter was, however, left penniless owing to serious losses in speculations. When the house and furniture were sold by public auction to meet the father's liabilities, Mlle. Nesthe went to live with some friends, and her mind seems to have become unhinged by her troubles.

"My lucky day is Thursday," she said to a girl friend, "but even my luck seems to have deserted me, and I can't bear life any longer."

Thursday she asked her friend to come and see her play cards, and as her manner seemed strange, her friend humored her. "You will see that hearts, my lucky color, will not turn up," Miss Nesthe explained, and, true enough, no matter how she cut and shuffled, a black suit always appeared.

At last she announced to her unsuspecting friend that the cards foretold "a long and peaceful sleep," and went up to her room without uttering another word.

The friend being used to Mlle. Nesthe's eccentric humors, took no more notice of the affair, and went out shopping. On her return, on entering her friend's bedroom, she found Mlle. Nesthe dead, still holding in her hand a small phial which had contained prussic acid.

A THOROUGH JOB.

In the cook's absence the young mistress of the house undertook, with the help of a green waitress, to get the Sunday luncheon. The hurried maid, who had been struggling in the kitchen with a coffee-machine that refused to work, confessed that she had forgotten to wash the lettuce.

"Well, never mind, Eliza. Go on with the coffee, and I'll do it," said the considerate mistress. "Where do you keep the soap?"

roots. When temperature goes below 50 degrees at night start fire in the greenhouses. Plant last settings of strawberries in pots early in the month. Celery must have final earthing up. Asparagus and rhubarb for forcing must be dug and allowed to freeze before removal to cellar.

November—Final harvesting of cabbage, celery, roots, etc., and final planting of spinach. Make cuttings and scions of grapes, currants, gooseberries and tree fruits, tie in bundles and bury butt end upward. Stratify seeds of peaches, plums and other stone fruits and store where they will not freeze. Spread mulches on bulb beds, around shrubs, upon herbaceous borders, and when the ground is frozen hard, upon strawberry beds. Prune grape vines and other trees. Plow or dig heavy soil and leave in loose condition to freeze. Cover cold frames with straw mats or shutters on cold nights. Tidy up the place for winter. Review season's practice and improve plans for next year.

DAIRY RECORDS ESSENTIAL.

The daily record of the herd is a matter of the most importance, says Prof C. B. Lane. The highest degree of success cannot be attained unless dairymen know the productive capacity of each individual cow. The record should include not only the dairy performance, but a concise history and description of each animal. The former requires a daily record of the milk yield of every cow and a fat test of several consecutive milkings, if accurate records are to be secured. Samples for this test may be mixed and this composite sample tested, thus obtaining the average.

KING'S INDIAN ORDERLIES.

Curious Impressions Formed of the Mother Country.

The King's four Indian orderly officers, who have spent three very crowded months in England, sailed for India recently.

So impressed have been these fine-looking, black-bearded men with the order of things in the mother country that they admit to a certain feeling of awe when speaking of the great sights they have seen.

Londoners have become accustomed during the season now dead and gone to the spectacle of these impassive Orientals in their uniforms of black, pale blue, and red and gold; but they scarcely realized perhaps what was passing in their minds.

Last season the Indian orderly officers were Gurkhas, the year before Sikhs. The men who sailed recently were Punjabis. They have never tasted alcohol, and their meat must be prepared for them by men of their own faith.

They have all seen much active service, and wear several medals and clasps.

The four officers were taken to the Hippodrome, and before their departure they gave, through an interpreter, some of their impressions to an Express representative.

"There is no ruler in the world like our Shanhanba-i-Hind"—Emperor of India—"and no Empress like our Empress," said one of the turbaned giants. They never speak of the King and Queen. It is always "our Emperor and Empress."

"We have seen much—the great battleships, the arsenal at Woolwich, the Palace of Crystal," said another. "But what can be more wonderful than the order in the streets of London? The London policeman has but to raise his arm, and great and small do his bid."

"So he said I was a polished gentleman, did he?" "Well, yes. It was the same thing." "Ah! what was the exact word?" "He said you were a slippery fellow."

rigid legalists they were scrupulous observers of the law as interpreted by their learned scribes and rabbis, and of the ceremonial regulations touching levitical purity. They were pledged by the secret vows of their own order to conscientious payment of tithes and temple dues, and to the literal observance of rules and ordinances established by the traditional interpretation of the law. They were the bitter opponents of both Sadducees and Herodians. In contrast with the former, they believed in a future life and in the coming of the kingdom of Heaven in visible form on earth. Compared with the common people they formed an aristocracy of the learned and virtuous, despising heartily the ignorant populace which knew not the law. After the fall of Jerusalem and the destruction of the temple the Pharisees again became the dominant party in Judaism, exerting a strong influence on its later character and history.

The Herodians were a religious-political party in power in Jerusalem during the reign of King Herod and his successors. By Jewish rabbis they were called Boethians after Boethius, father of Marianne, the murdered wife of the tyrant Herod, the latter having successively appointed the sons of Boethius to the office of high priest. In political sympathies and ethical principles the Herodians were closely allied to the Sadducees.

The Sadducees were the aristocratic-priestly party, fewer in number, richer, less rigidly legalistic, and less strict in their habits of life than the Pharisees. From the latter they differed also in the fact that they did not believe in a future life, nor in the existence of angels, etc., and did not accept the traditional interpretation of the law as insisted upon by scribes and rabbis. They were in league with the Herodian and other ruling families and therefore more influential in religious and civil affairs, in the councils of the Sanhedrin, as long as the Jewish state existed. But with the downfall of that state at the time of the destruction of Jerusalem, their power and influence came to an end, and they soon disappeared from history.

Verse 13. And they send—The exasperated priests and scribes, namely, who had been angered by the pointed Parable of the Unfaithful Husbandman spoken by Jesus, and recorded in the preceding verses of this chapter.

Certain of the Pharisees—Chosen leaders learned in the technicalities of the law, and skilled in debate.

And of the Herodians—The combination of these two antagonistic parties against Jesus is a significant comment on his power and influence at this time.

14. Teacher, we know that thou art true, and carest not for anyone—Words spoken, doubtless, with a fine show of sincerity, but the bald flattery and hypocrisy of which did not escape Jesus. What these Pharisees said may be taken to indicate what was the general reputation of Jesus among the people at this time.

Is it lawful to give tribute unto Caesar?—A subtle question from the snare of which there seemed to be no escape, since a negative or an affirmative answer alike would give them a cause for proceeding against Jesus by process of law. It was a question, however, which in their own hearts they answered with an emphatic negative.

15, 16. But he, knowing their hypocrisy, said—the answer of Jesus was always determined by the spirit of the question put to him.

Bring me a denarius—As zealous patriots who hated everything that reminded them of their subject relation to Rome, they would not be likely to carry with them this little silver Roman coin, with its image and superscription of Caesar. This image of the emperor was by the stricter Jews abhorred as idolatrous, and in deference to their religious sensibility on this point, the Romans at

19. Moses wrote—in Deut. 5, 5 "If brethren dwell together, and one of them die, and have no son, the wife of the dead shall not be married without unto a stranger," etc. The purpose of the law was the preservation of families and family names, which under the old tribal division of the nation had been highly desirable.

20. There were seven brothers—Probably a fictitious or hypothetical case.

21. Ye know not the scriptures nor the power of God—Their error was a two-fold one: (1) Ignorance of the Scriptures; (2) Of the profound truths which those Scriptures teach. Jesus deals first with the second of the two points.

22. Neither marry nor are given in marriage—The carnal relations of this life are not to be thought of as extending into the future life, or as being repeated there. Compare Paul's argument (1 Cor. 15, 39-44), based on the endless variety of the creative power of God.

As angels in heaven—The existence of angels was denied by the Sadducees; in his reply, therefore, Jesus embraces the whole area of their unbelief.

23. Have ye not read in the book of Moses?—They had quoted Moses in their question, and Jesus answers by referring them to the same authority.

In the place concerning the Bush-Exod. 3, 4-6.

27. Ye do greatly err—The answer of Jesus to the Sadducees was thus as conclusive and final as had been his answer to the Pharisees. Still another question put to Jesus by a more sincere inquirer is recorded in this connection by Mark in the verses following our lesson text.

THE DANGER OF WHITE LEAD.

Probably lead-working, and particularly the manufacture of white-lead is the most dangerous calling. In this industry it is inevitable that, sooner or later, the workers must succumb to lead poisoning, and there would appear to be no part of the body that the poisonous fumes and floating particles which permeate the atmosphere of the workshops do not affect. The complexion takes on a ghastly corpse-like pallor, the gums turn blue, the teeth decay rapidly and fall out, the eyelids are hideously inflamed. A scratch or an abrasion of the skin becomes an unhealable sore. Later on, when nerves and muscles become affected by the poison in the blood, the eyeballs are drawn into oblique positions, and take on a dim and bleared appearance. The joints, especially the knee and the wrist, become semi-paralyzed, and the whole form is gradually bent and contorted.

PEASANTS STONE MOTORISTS.

It Is Dangerous Now to Travel on Swiss Roads.

The crusade against motorists in Switzerland continues, despite the warning of the Swiss Automobile Club and many hotel proprietors that the tourist season is seriously affected thereby.

It is becoming positively dangerous to motor on certain roads. Outside the large towns motorists are frequently stoned, and large boulders are placed on the roadway with the intention of wrecking their cars.

While travelling from Lucerne to Interlaken a party of English and American motorists were stoned by a gang of young hooligans, all the glass and lamps in the car being smashed.

11. Evans, of New York, who crossed the Brunig Pass at the rate of six miles an hour—two friends in the car turned him—was fined \$10 on his arrival at Sarnen for excessive speed.

One young American, who has been unjustly fined a number of times, is now dashing about the country in a fifty horse-power car at the rate of 40 miles an hour, trusting to luck and to the cloud of dust which envelops him to prevent the number of being taken.

"I may as well have my money's worth," he explained.

Diana's "No"

The course of true love might have run smoothly enough in the case of Diana, for she had not parried the all important question, and implied "No" when she really intended her final answer to be "Yes."

Dick Repton, her lover, was, unfortunately for her, one of those prosaic, matter-of-fact individuals who expect a plain answer to a plain question. He contemplated matrimony with even an unusual degree of seriousness, for he loved Diana truly and felt assured, moreover, that she loved him.

In this momentous question of his life he came straight to the point at once, even though it meant the turning point of his easy-going bachelorhood existence. He put the question in the concise and simple form in which it occurred to him without any preliminary assertions or unnecessary expansions of expression, so indulged in by the overs of to-day.

He never troubled about fluency of speech or flowery language, for he reasoned that Diana understood all that prompted the question. "She knows that love her," he thought. "What need to talk about what is so apparent?"

It chanced one summer afternoon that Dick found Diana in her favorite nook, among the flowers in her garden, and he too to watch her for a few moments, or she made a picture fair enough to delight the heart of any man. She was unaware of his coming, her thoughts were far away in the world of romance; he was intent upon a book, an ideal love story, wherein the lover made love in a manner entirely after her own heart. She put herself in the heroine's place and pictured just such another voicing in real life.

Then all at once she heard her lover's footsteps; she closed her book, perhaps a little reluctantly, and waited for the realization of her dream and fancies. There followed the lovers' glance into each other's eyes, the lovers' touch of hand, a few moments speaking silence, and the question fell abruptly on Diana's ears.

"Diana, will you marry me?"

Diana's moods were varied as her charms, her mind was wandering in the land of ideals, and so the question came at an unpropitious moment. It sounded too abrupt, and it wounded Diana's romantic susceptibilities. Where were the protestations of love, the endearments, the ardor of the anxious lover? Diana glanced up surreptitiously at the all figure beside her, careful, however, not to show in her face all the love that was in her heart, for she knew that she loved this matter-of-fact wooper, but why, oh, why couldn't he make love in the proper way.

She meant to say "Yes" in the end, but, well, she had a fancy to be wooed after a fashion of her own, with vows of eternal fidelity, with more lover-like demonstrativeness, and so she resorted to prevarication as a means to an end, confident of her own power, never doubting what that end would be.

"Marriage? I? Absurd," she exclaimed, and made pretence of finding the lost place in her book; and, alas, did not see the smile which curved Diana's mobile lips, or the light which shone in her deep grey eyes. The words without the smile spoke volumes, and her tone conveyed perhaps more than she had wished. Her lover came hastily to a conclusion.

"And so," he said, "you've just been amusing yourself all this time, you never really cared. Diana, you're just a heartless flirt," and he strode away without even a backward glance in his

himself the prerogative of "setting things right" without impairing his own dignity or asking a woman's advice.

Dick had a tiresome feeling that he had been too precipitate in accepting Diana's "No," and he desired nothing more than to be quite sure of the real state of her feelings. So by a strange coincidence he hit upon the same method of procedure as Diana herself.

"Absence makes the heart grow fonder," he mused, "I'll go away, and if she does care I shall see her coming once more across the meadow. We shall meet and she will try to say 'Good-bye.'

Dick's lover-like intuition pictured the scene which would follow, and in which he and Diana would once more be made happy.

Hence it came about that the day after these lovers had resolved to put the ocean between them that rural gossip set the ball a-rolling, and with something like dismay Diana heard of Dick's intended voyage to Australia, and he in turn heard that she was off "almost immediately" to America. How terribly distant and unenchanting these countries sounded to their anxious ears.

Diana almost gave in; then she stood her ground once more. For one weak moment she contemplated a complete surrender and an inevitable explanation, then she drew back again into her shell of well-assumed indifference.

Dick's love almost got the better of him; he longed to take Diana in his arms and ask her that same question with ardent protestations of his love; then he scorned his weakness and let the moment pass.

So they waited, each for the other to speak, to give some sign. The waiting grew tense, and apprehension dawned on Diana's lovely face. Each morning they gained new courage with the thought "One more chance," each evening they acknowledged that "Hope deferred made life unbearable."

Obstinate determination at last gave way to desperation, and one morning the early train puffed and panted out of Fairtree station carrying a resolute young man with a huge portmanteau.

Then all, reflecting that she would not be behindhand, Diana also packed and made her exit, calmly, judiciously, with a pile of luggage and a deck chair.

Alas for the dreams of youth and the mighty resolutions formed in lover's minds! As the train dashed on, carrying Dick further and farther away from the home of his youth and from Diana, he sat and gazed moodily out on the passing landscape, the sweet English pastures, the woodland hills, and the quiet homesteads. How peaceful it all looked, how familiar, bathed in the afternoon sunlight, and he was leaving it all for—"Banksmere," called out a porter. The train had stopped, and Dick noticed with an appreciative eye some well-remembered hills over which he had had many a delightful scramble. "I'll give Jack a look up," he decided suddenly, "Australia can wait. Diana won't know where I am," and then he made his way out of the station with the air of a person thoroughly accustomed to his surroundings and with a happier look upon his face.

Diana's train likewise bore her swiftly along; she, like her lover, beguiled the time in sad reflectiveness and mute farewell. "What might have been," she mused in the melancholy quiet of her first-class compartment; "how happy we might have been if only—" "Hillsdene," screamed a voice outside the window. Ah, how well she knew Hillsdene. What jolly times she had often had there. It was near here that she had first met Dick. That dance, how she recalled it now.

Without another moment's hesitation (for the train would have started on Diana alighted, gathered her belongings, and vanished in a station cab. "Won't Molly be surprised?" she thought, "and there is no hurry about America, Dick won't know and the rest of the world doesn't matter."

So Diana stayed at Hillsdene and

OUT FOR THE SUPREMACY

FIGHT OF STEAMSHIP LINES FOR BLUE RIBBON OF THE OCEAN.

Vessel Must be Gigantic, Indeed, and Well Equipped to Outclass Present Service.

Yet another bid for the blue ribbon of the Atlantic! Hardly has the colossal Cunarder Lusitania left the slips than the Hamburg-American line announces its determination to take up the challenge for supremacy. Not satisfied with their mammoth Amerika and Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, the Germans are to build a vessel which will exceed in size and speed the Lusitania, at the present the fastest, largest, and heaviest steamship in the world, says the London Express.

The Lusitania and Mauritania, sister ships, each have a gross tonnage of 32,200, as against the Kaiserin's 25,000. The next Hamburg-American must, therefore, very greatly exceed the Kaiserin in size and weight. She must be over 787 feet long and 88 feet broad. Her speed will have to be over 25 knots, her horsepower above 800,000, and she must carry at least 3,200 passengers and 800 crew.

A quarter of a century ago an expert in the Engineers declared an ocean speed of 25 miles an hour an impossibility. But the Lusitania will steam 29½ miles, and the forthcoming Hamburg-American well over 30. Another quarter of a century and ocean speed may have increased another 50 per cent.

AMAZING FORECASTS.

Later experts have made amazing forecasts. In the last third of a century the tonnage of Atlantic liners increased fivefold; if, therefore, their capacity were to increase in like ratio during the next third of a century, the largest steamer in the year 1940 would be nearly 70,000 tons. Her corresponding dimensions would be: Length, 1,000 feet; breadth, extreme, at upper deck, 120 feet; depth, 75 feet. The Lusitania's length is 787 feet, breadth 88 feet, depth 60 feet.

This, however, is merely the modest prognostication of a practical shipbuilder. H. G. Wells, dreamer and romancer, might picture whole cities afloat by 1939.

We are told that the next Hamburg-American will go one better in the matter of luxury as well as size. She is to be equipped with Turkish baths, and a swimming tank for the use of passengers.

But she will have to be a very wonderful creation indeed if she is to excel existing liners in luxury of accommodation. Shipowners vie eagerly with each other in providing accessories to passengers' comfort, as a survey of their recent announcements will show.

Handsome fitted gymnasiums are the latest allurements. The Hamburg-Americans have them, of course, so have the R.M.S.P. Aragon and the North German liner Prinz Eitel Friedrich. The gym on the last-named is 25 feet long, 21 feet wide and fifteen feet high. It contains machines for rowing, swimming and cycling, and Swedish electrical health machines.

A PLAYGROUND FOR CHILDREN is a feature of the C.P.R. company's Empress of Ireland. An imitation beach composed of Clyde sand is constructed on the upper deck and here juvenile passengers may shovel and build sand castles all day long. The vessel also has a nursery, well stocked with toys.

Ocean libraries have not been too well stocked heretofore and the companies are beginning to give better consideration to this department. The Cunard line has just undertaken to provide passengers with first-rate service of books, the volumes being renewed after each voyage in order to include the newest

AMOUNT OF SLEEP REQUIRED.

Expert Opinion on the Subject Varies According to Habits.

"Should we sleep longer?" is the question which has arisen from the address delivered by Dr. T. Dyke Acland to the Physiology Section of the British Association. Dr. Dyke Acland's conclusions were:

1. Sufficient rest is a physiological necessity, especially for those who have not reached maturity; short hours tend to a diminution of bodily vigor and retardation of bodily and mental development.

2. To stint a child of sleep is to stint his growth.

3. To give a child sufficient sleep is simply teaching him how to take care of his body.

The following are experiences or advice as to the duration of sleep by distinguished men:

- Sir Frederick Treves: The average amount of sleep for myself is seven to eight hours.

Mr. Beerbohm Tree I should say in my case eight hours' sleep is better than seven, and nine hours' better than eight. I take nine hours whenever I can.

Dr. Josiah Oldfield: It is certain that every man must have a certain minimum of sleep per twenty-four hours. Most find that minimum eight hours, but an enormous number are satisfied with five and a half hours. I always sleep eight hours, and regard that as, on the whole, the proper minimum for a man. Certainly five and a half hours is not enough. Women, I say without hesitation need less sleep than men.

Sir Alfred Jones, K.C.M.G., head of the Elder-Dempster Line, and a man of great activity at sixty years of age, says: "It is my regular habit never to be out of bed after 10 p.m., and never in bed later than 6 a.m. This has served me well for fifty years."

Sir T. J. Lipton says: "I consider eight hours quite sufficient for any man, but personally am satisfied with 6½."

Mr. C. B. Fry says: "The average for an adult should be nine hours. For myself, I take ten if I can get it."

A headmaster of one of the large English public schools, who has changed the breakfast hour from seven to eight, says that the whole school is brighter and does better work. Nothing would lead him to recur to "the fetish of early rising."

CANCER DISCOVERIES.

The Question of Heredity May Soon be Solved.

There is the happy possibility of the mystery of the terrible disease of cancer being solved at no very remote date.

This was hinted at when the results of the experiments made during the year by the Imperial Cancer Research Fund were described at the annual meeting in London, England, by Dr. Bashford, the general superintendent of the fund's laboratory. He dealt chiefly with the results of the inoculation of 100,000 mice.

The scientists, he said are now able to reproduce at will in mice all the features of spontaneous cancer, and to protect healthy mice from all the consequences of inoculating them with experimental cancer. "This having been achieved it is not too much to hope that the further development of the experimental study of cancer will yield results having a direct bearing on the nature and treatment of the disease," added Dr. Bashford.

After repeated failures during thirty years the fund have been able to obtain offspring from mice suffering naturally from the disease, and in the near future it may be in consequence be possible to conclude whether cancer in man is or is not hereditary.

Sixty per cent of the "spontaneous" cancers which Dr. Bashford referred to had been got to grow in mice previously healthy, and in the view of the scientists this points to the conclusion that all malignant growths are trans-

amusing yourself all this time, you never really cared. Diana, you're just a heartless flirt," and he strode away without even a backward glance in his ladylove's direction.

Little wonder that Diana's pride was hurt—no woman likes to be called a heartless flirt—especially by the man she really loves. Things had assumed an unexpected aspect. Diana had not anticipated such a contingency. She could not raise her voice in protest, she would not now if she could, she would assume complete indifference.

"Absurd," she said to herself, "but he'll come back, I'll wait." And Diana went on waiting and presumably reading till late on that summer afternoon. She waited in vain, for her lover did not come back. She turned the pages of that last romantic chapter of her novel without so much as a glance to see "how the story really ended," and then wended her way across the old world garden to the house beyond, a smile still upon her lips but with the light of battle in her eyes.

The worst of it was that this foolish pair of lovers lived very near together—a stone's throw Diana called it, from her own ivy-covered house to Dick Repton's more imposing residence.

Diana had been wont to room at will across the sunlit meadows through the flower-decked orchard into her lover's domain, and he had grown to watch for her daily coming, and to delight in the moments when they wandered together over the sunny fields. Then they had drifted from friends to lovers, happy in the thought that each knew the other's secret.

Now everything was changed. Diana turned her steps obstinately in the opposite direction and took her daily walks in uninteresting pathways and dusty roads, while Dick ignored the orchard and the meadow and went out of his way to avoid Diana's favorite nooks. Alas for the course of true love.

The days went by and their thoughts were ever of each other; a fortnight passed, a month, it seemed so long to waiting lovers; Diana grew uneasy, thoughtful lines puckered her smooth brow.

"Everything has a limit," she reflected: "my patience might wear out, Dick's love might grow cold," but somehow it was hard to picture his love as anything but enduring always; yet the time was ripe for action and Diana was resolute. She did not, however, mean to be the first to bridge over the little gulf that divided her love and herself, she would not speak the first word of reconciliation, only by some means or other she wanted "things put straight." She pondered on the ways of lovers, their eccentricities, their weakness, and, possibly judging her lover by herself, she came to a conclusion.

"I'll go away," she decided on returning one day after an unusually uninteresting ramble. "Right away, somewhere."

The "somewhere" was vague, but Diana's future destination was at present only in her imagination. "Distant lands enchantment," she remembered, and she meant her lover to be brought to reason by the distance she would put between them.

The distance might be real to him, imaginary to her, that did not matter, the result would be the same—thus Diana reasoned with a lighter heart.

She felt sure there would be no need for actual departure. Dick would hear through local gossip of her contemplated flight to lands afar, then old reminiscences would crowd upon him, for the sake of old times he would come to say good-bye to her, if only as a friend, and Diana smiled to herself as she pictured the silent natural process by which she would make him understand.

There were somethings, however, which Diana had not duly considered, and she had yet to learn that man may occasionally act upon impulse or resort to a ruse as a means to an end; moreover, that he may sometimes take upon

thought, "and there is no hurry about America, Dick won't know and the rest of the world doesn't matter."

So Diana stayed at Hillsdene and found some consolation in a true friend's sympathy, whilst her lover was at Banksmere with no intention of quitting his friend's hospitable roof—just three miles apart—all unconscious of each other's nearness.

In the rosy hues of morning, life looked somewhat brighter. Diana sauntered out for an early ramble and, passing strange, she wandered love-wards, while Dick, unaware of her proximity, took a walk towards Hillsdene. Presently Diana rested beneath the welcome shade of an overhanging tree; Fete led Dick in that same direction.

She looked up to see a casual passer-by, then a pair of grey eyes and a pair of blue ones met.

"You?"

"You?"

"I thought—" she stammered, and left her thought unspoken.

"And I thought, too," he remarked, and came to a full stop.

"Australia?" she questioned, veiled sarcasm in her tone.

"America?" he said, reproachfully.

There was silence for some moments, and then a smile broke over Diana's face like the one which her lover had missed before. Diana had not spoken, but Dick read all that he wanted to know.

"Why didn't you say before, Diana, that which would have put things right?" he questioned.

After all Diana had to be content with a very simple wooing. — Pearson's Weekly.

FREE FOOD IN SCHOOLS.

British Parliamentary Committee Recommends Midday.

A midday dinner will be provided for hungry children in elementary schools if the suggestions contained in the report of the Select Committee on the Education (Provision of Meals) Bill issued are acted upon, says the London Daily Mirror. The committee's chief recommendations are:—

The local education authority should be empowered to organize the provision of a midday meal for children attending public elementary schools, and to establish committees to deal with school canteens.

That power should be given for the local education authorities to raise loans and spend money on the provision of suitable accommodation and officials, and for the preparation, cooking, and serving of meals.

That in extreme and exceptional cases, and after the consent of the Board of Education has been obtained, a local authority may have recourse to the rates for the cost of the actual food, the rate for this purpose not to exceed $\frac{1}{2}$ d in the £.

That steps should be taken to secure that parents able to do so and neglecting to make provision for the feeding of their children shall be proceeded against for recovery of the cost.

The committee urge that it ought not to be part of the conditions of the appointment of any teacher that he (or she) shall assist in dispensing meals provided for children.

AN OLD PLAN WITH HIM.

Layman: "A railroader friend of mine told me the other day that on nearly every line of road they had changed the make-up of the trains so as to have the sleepers in front."

Minister: "That's no innovation. My congregation have been built on that plan for years."

BUT SHE MINDS THE HELM.

Nubbs: "I understand that the starboard board is on the right side of the ship."

Dubbs: "Exactly, and the starboard board is on the right side of the land."

line has just undertaken to provide passengers with first-rate service of books, the volumes being renewed after each voyage in order to include the newest and most important works of the day.

The catering system is being revised in a somewhat remarkable way. On the newest Hamburg-American meals are now served a la carte. Passengers may take tickets to include the customary dining-saloon meals, or they may book with the liberty of using the restaurant when and as they please.

The Amerika's a la carte restaurant is on the sixth deck, and its accommodates 120 persons. This is in addition to the main dining-room, where 400 persons may take the usual table d'hote service. The Kaiserin's a la carte restaurant, adapted for 140 people, is the largest afloat.

Bathing facilities on Atlantic liners have been considerably improved of late. The Kaiserin has well-furnished suites of apartments connecting with private bath and toilet-rooms, while many single rooms have their own baths. The Amerika has luxurious electric and hydropathic baths, attended by professional masseurs. On the Carmania even the steerage has its own needle and shower baths.

A GREAT NOVELTY.

aboard the Kaiserin is the palm-court and garden, a delightful lounge where afternoon tea is served and where the surroundings all tend to realize the atmosphere of a palmarium in a London hotel.

The invention of wireless telegraphy is revolutionizing the amenities of ocean travel. A Marconi installation of the most up-to-date type is a feature of the Amerika and the Cunard boats publish a "Marconi daily newspaper." Liners converse with each other by wireless many miles apart in mid-Atlantic, and keep in touch with the shore from Liverpool to Sandy Hook, receiving daily all the current news from both shores. Thus the fear of disaster is lessened, for assistance may be summoned from considerable distances, while the facilities for social and business intercourse are immeasurably increased.

Electricity, indeed, has worked wonders in the development of the ocean greyhound. Lifesights are now and lowered by electric-power; electric motors heave the sounding line, hoist the passenger lifts, and drive all the auxiliary machinery in the stokholds, bakery, galley, pantry and refrigerating-rooms. Electricity lights and ventilates the ship, works the searchlights and signaling apparatus, conveys stores, mails and baggage and closes the watertight doors, while even the siren is subject to its control.

And the decorative setting of all these luxuries is superb. Smokerooms and drawing-rooms are garnished and upholstered like West End mansions; famous artists have designed and executed the mural adornments; the magnificent sitting and sleeping-rooms, music-rooms and saloons are furnished with Louis XV suites, Sheraton couches and tapestried walls. There is \$10,000,000 worth of comfort and splendor on nearly every liner afloat. And the Hamburg-American liner, envious of the Lusitania, has promised to "go one better" than all this!

CHANCE FOR TOMMIES.

Soldiers May Wear Plain Clothes If General Consents.

The following amended regulation has been issued by the British Army Council, and is to be put into force at once: "Officers and warrant officers will wear uniform in camp and quarters while on duty, and other ranks at all times; but it is left to the discretion of generals commanding to permit plain clothes to be worn for purposes of recreation. Permission to dress in plain clothes when on furlough or pass may be given by commanding officers to non-commissioned officers and men of good character."

cancers which Dr. Bashford referred had been got to grow in mice previously healthy, and in the view of the scientists this points to the conclusion that all malignant growths are transplantable.

The "protection" experiments were so successful that, whereas of 100 ordinary mice ninety developed tumors after inoculation, none of the protected animals developed the disease.

At the same time Dr. Bashford added a note of warning in case the results might give rise to exaggerated expectations.

It was not yet possible, he said, to arrest the progress of experimental tumors, much less effect the cure of the disease occurring naturally.

Sir William Church, in moving the adoption of the report, said that radium had not given satisfactory results.

Lord Strathcona presided at the meeting, and the Prince of Wales, the president of the Fund, was represented by Sir Arthur Bigge.

DUST HEAP CURE.

New Health Resort for Fashionable London Women.

The prospect of daintily dressed damsels asking a policeman to direct them to the nearest dust heap is unfolded by Mr. Hugh Colin Smith (ex-governor of the Bank of England), who declared at the quarterly meeting of the Bermondsey Municipal Association that sorting dust heaps was a healthy occupation.

He went further than this, and drew a picture of the time 100 years ago when all the great physicians used to prescribe for the fashionable women who suffered from weak lungs a course of visits to the dust heaps of London, to stand over them and breathe in their fragrance, because the gases emitted from decaying vegetable matter strengthened the chest.

Mr. Hugh Colin Smith is unfortunately unable to give his authority for the "dust heap" cure.

"I read it somewhere, but I cannot recall the name of the book," Mr. Smith told a London Express representative recently. "I am convinced, however, that the women sorters of dust heaps are an extremely healthy lot."

A medical man who was consulted on the dust heap cure contented himself with a few brief remarks.

"The accumulation of refuse," he said, "means the accumulation of dangerous germs, and dust is the worst thing for the lungs. Happily, the physicians of to-day are not what they were 100 years ago."

DUTCHMAN IN A BOX.

To Escape Further Domestic Quarrels Travels in Packing Case.

It was not, perhaps, a novel idea that prompted an Amsterdam Holland tailor, who after a domestic quarrel, left his home and found himself stranded in Rotterdam, to seek cheap transportation back to his domicile packed in a box.

Some days ago, a case bearing a certain address, and marked "Glass, with Care," was delivered for shipment at the goods office of a cargo boat to Amsterdam. The case was placed on the quay ready to be taken on board, when a nightwatchman became aware of a strange noise, proceeding as it seemed, from the box. Other employees of the line were called, and, as a mysterious murder case had recently occurred in Rotterdam, all sorts of weird theories were hazarded as to what the box might contain. It was finally agreed that there was something wrong, about the box, and it was promptly placed on cart and driven to the nearest police station.

With utmost precaution, the box was opened, and behold! our friend the tailor gasping for air. It appeared that some workmen to whom he had related his sad plight had readily fallen in with his notion to put him in a wooden packing case, and ship him as fragile goods back to his home.

DOGGER BANK CRIME.

To be Retold in Letters of an Engineer of the Fleet.

Letters written to his wife in diary form by a M. Politovsky, Chief Engineer of Admiral Rojestvensky's fleet, are about to be published through an English translation with a London imprint. The letters dealing with the Russian attack upon the defenseless Hull fishermen on the morning of October 22, 1904, throw such a strong light upon the commission's report on the Dogger Bank outrage that it is not strange that M. Politovsky, who finally met his death in the battle of Tsushima, was not called upon to testify.

The report states that at 1 o'clock in the morning a "suspicious vessel" was observed from the Suvaroff, which bore every appearance of being a torpedo boat. Of this incident M. Politovsky wrote:

"A small fishing vessel was tossing helplessly on the sea! We saw her quite distinctly, the black and red of her sides, her single funnel and the bridge, but nobody was on deck; panic-stricken, all had probably taken refuge below. The unhappy vessel had been the target for the concentrated fire of our guns. I watched our shells explode. . . . The whole world will now ring with this shameful outrage."

Concerning the fate of the Russian vessel Aurora he wrote—

"A terrible incident has just been reported from the Aurora; her hull has been pierced above water line in four different places, her funnels are riddled, the chaplain is severely and her commander slightly wounded. The Aurora had evidently drawn the fire of our squadron. In company with the Don-skoy she was far away in the distance, our order of advance being in divisions of six. In the confusion of the firing somebody evidently mistook her for a Japanese ship, and brought the six-inch guns to bear on her—she was at a great distance."

M. Politovsky added that "permission has been asked to make for the nearest port to convey him (the chaplain) to a hospital, but the admiral has refused this."

ARMADA'S TREASURE AGAIN. . .

One More Attempt to Recover Treasure Ship of Spain.

Another attempt—the third within two years—will shortly be made to recover the treasure said to have been on board the Admiral of Florence, the treasure ship of the Spanish Armada, when she sank off Tobermory, Isle of Mull, in 1588. The difficulty of reaching and exploring the sunken vessel is owing to the fact that the floor of Tobermory Bay is composed of fine shifting sand. Capt. Burns, of the British Marine Salvage Association, who is in charge of the operations, has now invented an apparatus by which this sand may be removed. The expenses of the enterprise are being defrayed by a syndicate of Glasgow merchants to whom the Duke of Argyll delegated his ancient rights conferred on an ancestor by royal charter in 1641.

As early as 1661 a Swede identified the ship with the poop, where the gold bullion is still, standing up, undamaged by the explosion which had blown up the deck from the mizzenmast forward. This Swede brought up a heavy iron canno. Later the ninth Earl of Argyll instituted a search by which a metal-bound chest was recovered. In 1687 William Phipps invented a new form of diving bell, and companies were formed for the recovery of goods and treasure from sunken ships around the coast. The Argyll of the period headed one of these companies, which carried on operations in Tobermory Bay, and on the other side of the Sound of Mull, where another galleon was reported to have been sunk. In 1740 John, Duke of Argyll, recovered a beautiful brass canno in Tobermory Bay. This was three yards twenty-two inches in length, and

IN MERRY OLD ENGLAND

NEWS BY MAIL ABOUT JOHN BULL AND HIS PEOPLE.

Occurrences in the Land That Reigns Supreme in the Commercial World.

An "Anti-Sweating League to Secure a Minimum Wage" has been started in London.

Lord Ridley unveiled a statue to the late Joseph Cowen at Newcastle on the 7th ult.

The corporation of Brunley are about to provide a time gun to go off each day at one o'clock.

The removal of the War Office Department from Pall Mall to Whitehall, London, will begin shortly.

A workman found a bright half sovereign of the reign of Queen Elizabeth under the flooring of a shop in Chester.

A statue has been erected to the memory of Mr. Archibald Hood, who did so much for the development of the South Wales industry.

The British Secretary of War has changed the terms of the army meat contract so as to permit the use of cattle fed abroad, but killed in Britain.

The Lord Chancellor's judgments are commendably short. When written, they have never, so far, exceeded a half sheet of notepaper.

The Astronomer-Royal in his annual report refers to the serious danger to Greenwich Observatory caused by the tremors set up by machinery in new works in the vicinity.

The Countess of Aberdeen has won the first prizes in the open and novice classes for West Highland terriers at the annual show of the Ladies' Kennel Association in London.

The treasurer for the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts acknowledges receipt of an anonymous donation of £1,000, and also a donation of £500 for Western Canada.

A cannon ball, which had lain buried since 1634, has been recovered from a field at Heton, Nantwich, the headquarters in Cheshire of the Parliamentary generals, Fairfax and Brereton, and where the Royalist forces were located.

A Tunbridge Wells veterinary surgeon received the body of a dog with the request that he would make a post-mortem examination to ascertain the cause of death. Two hours later he had returned the animal as lively as a kitten to its delighted owner.

The Rev. James Davidson, for 52 years vicar of Nafferton, East Yorkshire, died recently in his 91st year. He entered Aberdeen University in 1833, took his degree four years later, and at the time of his death was probably the oldest university graduate.

The amalgamation of the Burton Brewery Company with Allsopps is a good deal like the lying down of the lion with the lamb. The capital of Allsopps is £1,870,000, while that of the Burton Brewery Company is a mere £200,000 (£124,000 issued). In 1903 the capital of Allsopps was £3,300,000.

At a brick kiln on the Surrey Canal, North Camberwell, the kiln has never been permitted to go out since it was first set alight 100 years ago. During all that time it has been subject to the heaviest rainfalls. It consists of only a few feet deep of lime and coke, which have been constantly renewed.

Mr. Coffin, who was at the wheel of the trooship Birkenhead when she sank, is living at Hinton road, Lower Easton, near Bristol.

The Somerset County Council has adopted a by-law against loitering or smoking near the entrance to any church or chapel during service.

The ringers at Newbury Parish church have struck on learning that if they did not attend the Sunday ser-

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WON WRONG WOMAN.

Wanted the Daughter, But Her Mother Fell in Love With Him.

At Grenoble, a grocer has just hanged himself, and thereby hangs a story, which, despite its tragic sequel, has in it more of the elements of farce comedy than tragedy.

The grocer had established a snug little business. He was 27, good looking and of good address. He cast around for a wife. His choice fell on the pretty eighteen-year-old daughter and only child of a rich tradesman. From the grocer's point of view it was a most desirable match. But he was aware that it would hardly present itself in the same light to the rich tradesman. A girl with a big dot in France and especially a pretty one, to whatever class she belongs, is considered as entitled to a husband higher in the social scale than a retail grocer.

To overcome this difficulty the grocer decided on the plan which generally proves most effective in overcoming parental obstacles. He resolved to make himself exceedingly agreeable to the rich tradesman's wife—his intended mother-in-law—a buxom woman still under 40 and by no means unprepossessing. He succeeded so well that she soon gave her consent to his suit. Unfortunately for him, his success did not stop there. She found his society much more agreeable than that of her own husband, who was too much engrossed in business to fill a woman's life.

She began to talk of her own heart-hunger, and he listened sympathetically. She said she wished that she had her own life to lead over again and sighed. He soon found that he was seeing considerably more of the mother than of the daughter. She received him with long and tender pressures of the hands and

LANGUISHING GLANCES.

At last the terrifying discovery dawned upon him that he had won not the daughter but the mother. It was an embarrassing situation. Discretion suggested that he should cease visiting the house. But if he did that, he would lose all chances of winning the daughter. So he continued to play the dangerous game. He wasn't cut out to play the role of Joseph to Potiphar's wife.

The death of the rich tradesman left

FROM ERIN'S GREEN ISLE

NEWS BY MAIL FROM IRELAND'S SHORES.

Happenings in the Emerald Isle of Interest to Irish-Canadians.

During the celebration of 8 o'clock mass at Dungan Catholic church County Roscommon, one Sunday lately the ceiling collapsed, injuring about 40 people, including some constabulary who were at the service and went to the assistance of those in danger. Some of the injured are in a precarious condition.

Business at the foreign docks in Belfast has been unusually brisk of late and such a collection of sailing tonnage has never previously been seen in the port.

At Sligo harbor a destructive fire took place, two large warehouses containing about 3,000 tons of corn being burned to the ground, and damage effected which is estimated at £20,000. It is stated that the value of the corn is partly covered by insurance.

In a claim by the Duchess of St Albans for £345 compensation for alleged malicious burning of a plantation of her estate in County Waterford, the Lord Chief Justice, at Waterford Assizes, said he was satisfied the occurrence was malicious in consequence of the fact that the estate agent had given evidence against the tenants on an adjoining estate, and awarded £130 compensation, with costs.

An extraordinary panic took place Sunday at Mullinshoe Roman Catholic church, County Tyrone, where a "re-treat" was being held. Some person raised a cry that the gallery was giving way, and the whole of the large congregation assembled in the church made mad rush for the doors. The scene, a hundreds of men, women and children frantically endeavored to reach the open air, was indescribable. Several persons were slightly injured and many were fainted, but fortunately, nobody was killed. Eventually the panic having subsided the service was concluded.

on the other side of the Sound of Mull, where another galleon was reported to have been sunk. In 1740 John, Duke of Argyll, recovered a beautiful brass cannon in Tobermory Bay. This was three yards twenty-two inches in length, and of most elaborate and excellent workmanship. The ornamentation and engraving showed it was a French piece, and the metal work was attributed to the great Benvenuto Cellini.

HYPNOTIZED IN TRAIN.

Man with "Shining Eyes" Robs a Lady Traveller in Geneva.

A new danger threatens the travelling public. Recently, when the train arrived at Lausanne from Pontarlier, Switzerland, and everybody had departed, the guard found a woman sitting in a rigid position, with her arms and legs held out before her and her eyes fixed in an expressionless stare. He failed to arouse her, and, thinking she was in a fit, called a doctor, who at once stated that the woman had been hypnotized.

The doctor made the regulation passes and the woman recovered slightly, but was unable to speak. On searching her some valuable shares were found, but she had neither purse, money nor jewels. Her name, according to some papers discovered in her possession is Melaine Verne.

She was conducted to the hospital and placed under the care of Dr. Houdart, who also confirmed the fact that she had been hypnotized in the train and probably robbed. The woman, who is of middle age, has not yet recovered her senses completely, and talks vaguely about "a man with shining eyes."

LUNATICS STOP BALLOON.

Funny Affair in Grounds of an Italian Asylum.

A couple of aeronauts had a queer adventure while passing over Giandola recently.

They were travelling low down preparing for a descent when they happened to cross some fields attached to a lunatic asylum in which a number of the patients were working.

At sight of the airship the lunatics set up a shout and one of them seized the trail rope and clung on. Others joined him, and then tried to haul down the aeronauts.

The balloonists, fearing mischief, began to pelt them with ballast to make them release their hold, but the lunatics appeared to enjoy the proceedings as a great joke, and continued hauling.

The uproar they made finally attracted the keepers, who ran to the assistance of the aeronauts, and knocking over several of the more stubborn patients, released their hold on the rope. The balloon then shot away, carrying from the ground one lunatic who had become entangled. He fell several yards on another inmate, but neither appeared to be much the worse for the encounter.

MILK DIET THE CURE-ALL.

Austrian Physician Has Drank Three Gallons a Day for 23 Years.

Dr. Hermann Schwartz, an Austrian physician now in London, is the apostle of the milk diet cure for all the ills to which flesh is heir.

For 23 years he is said to have eaten no solid food, and to have drunk instead three gallons of milk per day. He is now in the very best of health and strength, and considers himself a young man at fifty.

The Encyclopedia Britannica says: "A good milch cow should yield during the milking period of eight or nine months about 500 gallons of milk"; in other words, about two gallons a day. Hence it takes two cows (allowing for the dry period) all the year round to keep Herr Schwartz in health and strength. With the average milk-yielding life of a cow at four years, more than a dozen cows have been milked dry for him.

adopted a by-law against loitering or smoking near the entrance to any church or chapel during service.

The ringers at Newbury Parish church have struck on learning that if they did not attend the Sunday services they might be called on to resign.

An order to pay 6d a week on a debt of £35 was made at the Bow County Court against a man who earns 19s. a week and has a wife and six children. "Perhaps it takes a little education to get used to talking through the telephone. I never tried it myself," Judge Lumley Smith, K. C., said in the city of London court.

COLORING CHEESE.

Canadian Makers Color It to Please British Peculiarities.

That different parts of Great Britain have very strongly marked tastes as to the color of cheese was emphatically demonstrated by a cheese expert to a London Daily Mail representative.

"We could not sell at any price in Birmingham a cheese that is in great demand in Coventry," he said; "and if we sent some of the kind demanded in Norfolk to Manchester, it would at once be returned."

"East Anglia demands a cheese of brick-red color, while Lancashire must have 'Manchester white,' and the other southern counties go in for a gold-tinted cheese. Nearly all our cheese comes from Canada, and is prepared to the carefully worded order of the importers."

KING'S CLOCKS KEPT FAST.

Peculiar Fancy of King Edward Which Bewilders Visitors.

During the summer season, when the King and Queen are away from Sandringham and the park and grounds are occasionally open to visitors, the platform of Wolferton, the station for Sandringham, is now and again occupied by bands of people who complain angrily that they are half an hour too soon for their train. They have not discovered in time that all the clocks at Sandringham are kept half an hour fast.

This is a curious fancy of the King's, and at Sandringham all the clocks in the house, stables, and kennels, and even the church clock, are kept exactly half an hour fast.

ANTS CAPTURE A TOWN.

Millions of the Insects Put Englishmen to Rout.

At Sandwich, England, what is described as resembling a black thundercloud advanced out of a fog which overhung the sea on a recent afternoon, and crossing the sandhills spread over the town and then descended. The cloud proved to consist of millions of winged ants. Pedestrians covered their heads with handkerchiefs and fled precipitately into shops and houses, while thousands of the insects covered horses and vehicles in the street. The River Stour was covered with thick black layer. Later the visitation continued toward Deal and Ramsgate.

London is suffering from a plague of mosquitoes and from Halesden in the north to Wimbledon in the south there are complaints of their ravages. Physicians in all parts have been consulted by persons suffering from septic poisonings caused by bites.

South Kensington's residents who have suffered severely suggested that the pest had been imported in cases arriving at the museum from various parts of the globe, but entomologists discredit the theory. According to one authority, there are twenty-five known species of the family which can live in the British climate and some have the disagreeable characteristics of the foreign mosquito.

gested that he should cease visiting the house. But if he did that, he would lose all chances of winning the daughter. So he continued to play the dangerous game. He wasn't cut out to play the role of Joseph to Potiphar's wife.

The death of the rich tradesman left him in a worse plight than ever. The widow wanted to marry him and he wanted to marry the daughter. At last he summoned up courage to tell her that he would never take the place of her departed husband. Tears and protestations; threats and entreaties failed to move him.

He set to work courting the daughter for all he was worth, and dodged her mother as best he could. His wooing prospered. The girl accepted him and they were married.

Scorned and rejected, the affection of the elder woman turned to hate. She planned a terrible revenge. When the bride retired after the wedding to change her dress for the honeymoon journey, her mother told her all. Then there was a scene. The bride refused to see her husband. The mother saw him, though. It was her hour of triumph and she made the most of it. She just let her tongue loose upon him.

In the commotion the bride was lost sight of. When the grocer finally succeeded in escaping from his mother-in-law and went in search of her, he found she had left the house. The best man was also missing. She had speedily found consolation.

For a week the grocer hunted the couple in vain. Then he closed his shop, shut himself up in his lodgings and hanged himself. Maybe there is a story somewhere. Several dramatists are of the opinion that there is a good play in it—for the French stage—and are working upon it.

DEAD MAN'S FACE AT WINDOW.

English Member of Parliament Relates Strange Story.

Preaching in the Congregational church, Seaford, England, on Sunday, Compton Rickett, M.P., related the following coincidence, which he vouched for as true.

"A gentleman, whose son was attached to the British forces in South Africa as doctor during the Boer War, paid a visit to two of his sisters. They remarked that they were glad his son had returned home. On the father replying that his son was still in South Africa, they exclaimed that they had seen him looking through the glass panel of the door of the corridor about 6 p. m., just before the father's arrival.

"The father returned to London, and next morning made enquiries at the War Office. He was told that information had just been received that his son had died the previous evening from enteric fever, the time of death being 6 p. m. English time."

ELOPES WITH FATHER-IN-LAW.

Bride Leaves Husband Few Hours After the Wedding.

A wedding party in a country district near Paris, France, had an unexpected ending the other night. A little before midnight the bridegroom, tired of dancing, sought his bride, intending to slip away with her to their new home.

She was, however, not to be found, and the bridegroom rushed to his home to see if by chance she had gone there by herself. Not finding her, the bridegroom and his mother-in-law became anxious and made enquiries, and at last learned that the bride had been seen getting into a carriage with the bridegroom's father, and had then driven off to the station.

A few hours later the distracted bridegroom received a letter from his bride of an hour, in which she explained that her love for his father made it impossible for her to be happy with his son, and that she had therefore run away with her lover.

hundreds of men, women and children frantically endeavored to reach the open air, was indescribable. Several persons were slightly injured and many women fainted, but fortunately, nobody was killed. Eventually the panic having subsided, the service was concluded outside the building.

The lake in Lurgan Demesne was the scene of a sad drowning accident recently. It appears that a young man named Michael Toner, of Shankill street, Lurgan, about 25 years of age, with some comrades, was walking in the demesne, and whilst proceeding round the path which borders the lake, a cork was observed floating in the water, about 20 yards from the shore. Surmising that the cork indicated the presence of a fishing net, Toner, who was a strong swimmer, divested himself of his clothing and swam towards the object, but he had just reached it when it became evident he was in trouble. He shouted. A quantity of fishing tackle had got attached to deceased's legs, drawing him under, and thereby causing his death.

A married woman named Margaret Devanny made a determined attempt to commit suicide by drowning herself in the canal which runs close to Carrigans village. She was rescued, and was found to be insane.

Sir Donald Currie, whose gift of £100,000 has enabled University College Hospital, Dublin, to build a new wing, may be called the "Father of the Shipping World," for he is well over 80, and for many years has owned the superb Union-Castle line steamers. A keen-eyed, sharp-featured, sturdily-built Scotsman.

Mr. Bryce has visited a spot where the foot of a Chief Secretary has never been set before—Cape Clear Island—where he went to see the new harbor works in progress. The fishermen of Cape Clear lit bonfires in honor of the event.

After some exciting scenes a ton of coal was sold in Dublin a few days ago for a shilling. It belonged to a Mr. O'Carroll, who some time ago refused to pay a fine imposed by a police magistrate because he painted his name in Irish characters on his carts. The police seized the coal, and it was offered for sale in Messrs. Hill's auction rooms.

The vigorous evangelical propaganda entered upon in Belfast some months ago by that peculiar religious sect known sometimes as the "Coonies," the "tramp pilgrims," or "the dippers," shows no sign of abatement. The sect came into existence about a couple of years ago, when they established themselves at Crocknacreeve, a large farmstead situated two or three miles from Enniskillen, and there held conferences and revival meetings, and conducted baptismal ceremonies in the Ballycassidy river.

An heir to £30,000 has been discovered in Celbridge Workhouse, County Kildare. Recently Mr. Dunne, solicitor, New York, advertised in Ireland for the heirs to the White estate, America, and he now believes he has discovered in the person of James Nolan, an infirmary patient, the long-sought heir.

WHAT HE COULD DO.

An unkempt-looking fellow stopped at a suburban residence, and asked for employment. The lady of the house, who at the moment was superintending the removal of some plants, emerged from the greenhouse, and asked him if he were a gardener.

"I ain't had much experience," was the reply.

"Well, can you plant these shrubs?"

"I shouldn't like to risk spoilin' 'em, ma'am."

"Well, what can you do?"

"Well, ma'am," he replied, meditatively. "If you'll give me one of your husband's cigars, I'll sit in the green house and smoke out the insects that's eatin' up the leaves of them rose bushes."

In Japan, fish have to be sold alive, and they are hawked through the streets in tanks.

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At Wolfe Island on Tuesday, Miss McGlynn was united in marriage to M. Greenwood, by the Rev. Father Spratt.

The Township of Ameliasburg Agricultural Society Show will be held at Roblin's Mills on October 6th.

All kinds of heating apparatus, properly installed and satisfaction guaran-

PERSONALS

Mr. W. T. Gibbard left for Winnipeg on Monday on the manufacturer's excursion.

Mrs. J. Girvin and family, Deseronto Road, leave to-day for Calgary, where they will reside.

Mrs. W. E. Schuster, Belleville, spent yesterday with her father, Judge J. H. Madden.

Miss Florence Fraser, New York, arrived yesterday to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fraser, John street.

Miss Olive Hambly has accepted a position as stenographer in the law office of U. M. Wilson.

Mr. Harry Scott, of New York, is spending his holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scott.

Colonel Lrazier, of Belleville, was in Napanee last Friday on business.

Mr. W. A. Grange, of Napanee, went to Verona to attend Court Thursday Sept. 13th.

Mrs. Belcher and daughter Alice, of Leicester, England, visiting Mrs. C. M. Warner, left for Boston Friday noon train.

Miss Minnie Rikley left this week for Belleville, where she will attend Albert College.

Miss Rowse, of Bath, is spending a short time with friends in town.

Mr. Reginald Russell, Edmonton, is the guest of his father Mr. Jas Russell.

Mrs. John Prati spent a few days last week in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Miller and son, Master Miles, are taking a trip to the Pacific Coast.

The marriage of Miss Beatrice Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Kennedy, Enterprise, to Mr. Jas. B. Evans, of Moscow, will take place at the church of the Ammunition on Sept. 19th.

Mrs. S. L. Daly and mother, Mrs. Bogart, left on Saturday to visit friends in Norwood.

Mr. M. O. Fraser returned on Saturday to his home at Wamanaes, Man.

Mrs. J. W. Card and son, Wilbur, left on Friday last for Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Mr. A. H. Mahood left on Saturday for Yorkton, Sask.

Mrs. Sicker, and son Whitney, of Rochester, are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. C. L. Shannon is visiting her brother in Cleveland, Ohio.

Miss Annie Mastin left this week to assume a position with the Bell Telephone Co., at Toronto.

Mr. Geo. Grange, London, spent a few days this week the guest of his brother, Mr. A. W. Grange.

Miss Jennie Crouch, has returned to her home in Gananoque, after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Van Alstine, Palace Road.

Rev. A. H. Kennedy, Ann Arbor, Mich., is visiting his mother, at Bath.

Mr. W. B. Grieve is taking a month's trip through the west, going as far as Edmonton.

Mrs. A. W. Grange was "at home" on Tuesday in honor of her guest, Mrs. McIntyre.

Mrs. Morley Wilson spent a few days last week the guest of Mrs. F. W. Coates, Kingston.

Mr. M. B. Lee, Winnipeg, Man., spent last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Smith.

Miss Rachael Hayes, left this week for Syracuse, where she has secured a situation with the Bell Telephone Co.

Rev. and Mrs. McIntyre, of Brandon, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Grange a few days this week.

Miss Geneva Lane, has returned to town after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lane, Denbigh.

Mrs. Jas. A. Ferguson spent last week advertising the King Edward in

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MADOLE & WILSON.

Master Wilfred Fralick the little son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fralick, met with a painful accident on Monday afternoon. He was riding on a wagon and in attempting to get off he fell and the wagon passing over his foot crushed it. Luckily no bones were broken and a few weeks confinement to the house will heal the injury.

The Frontenac Business College, Kingston, has just closed the most successful term in its history—not only as regards numbers enrolled but from the success of our graduates in carrying off the best positions available. The fall term opens Sept. 4th and promises to bring together a larger number than ever to prepare for the ever increasing demands of the business world. No time in the past was there such opportunities offered to young men and women who had acquired a thorough knowledge of business methods and their essential subjects. Are you at present drawing a good salary? If not write us for particulars. T. N. STOCKDALE, Principal.

Jacob Jebrelski, unshackled and free from irons was, at noon on Saturday, driven in a cab, in charge of Sergt. Nesbitt, to the penitentiary, and delivered into the hands of Warden Platt. He was anxious as regards two things. He desired to know if his attempted escape would put a longer sentence on him. The warden was of the opinion that the matter would not be pressed. The prisoner could be made to answer the charge of stealing the king's property, handcuffs, etc. His second thought was of his son. To the constables at the police station Jebrelski gave many side lights of a personal character. He remarked that he had been with the British army through the South African war as a marker and mender of bolts and cartridge pouches. He said he had only been in Canada the past seven months, coming from London, Eng. His trade was a finisher of fur goods.

Will put an sale Saturday morning August 18th, two case containing six hundred pieces of China, all useful articles for household use in endless variety direct from the manufacturers in Europe, and at prices never heard of here before for such goods. See show window.

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Music

Owing to several cases of misapprehension being recently brought before Miss McHenry's notice, she wishes to state that the opinion, which seems to be maintained, that she receives for instruction ONLY ADVANCED pupils, is erroneous. She will discontinue teaching through July and August, resuming it September first, Residence, Centre St.

Marks Bros.

"It is a mystery to me how Marks Bros. can draw such crowded houses," said a local theatre-going man, as he saw the large crowd filing into the Opera House to witness the Marks Bros.' plays. When Manager Joe Marks was asked why their show was so popular, he said "We give the best and cheapest show for the money. Our specialties are always new and the people go away satisfied. Then, when we come again, the public know what to expect." All who attend are delighted with the show. The tragedy queen Miss May A. Bell, took her part with her accustomed skill, receiving also splendid support from the other members of the company. A continuous performance is given and the specialties between the acts are the best. May A. Bell sang a number of songs illustrated by pictures. Baby George is a little fellow, but as an entertainer he is without a peer. His songs and dances would make a grown-up man famous.—Exchange.

for the young people who are well known to most Napanee Citizens. The retiring gentlemen Messrs Andrew and Stephen Madden have been in business in Napanee for long number of years and were among the town's most successful merchant's. We understand they will still carry on the slaughter house and some other branches of their former business.

Fireman Killed.

On Saturday evening a shocking accident occurred at Marlbank. A Bay of Quinte Ry. fireman named Conrita Henass was beneath the locomotive checking his fire when the engineer, without knowing of his position, pulled the throttle, and as the engine began to move Henass attempted to get from under and in doing so had both legs cut off at the thigh. The man lingered several hours and was relieved of his agony by death at 1 o'clock on Sunday. He came from Montreal, was 25 years of age and was on the road about four years. His body was taken to Erinsville for burial.

Object to the Poles.

An application from the Town of Napanee has been received by the Railway and Municipal Board. In it the town points out that the Napanee Water and Electric Light Company, which some time ago became insolvent and went out of business, has not removed its poles and wires from the streets, and that they constitute a menace to life and limb. As the town is about to install a lighting plant of its own it wants the poles removed, and asks the Board to take action in the matter. It is doubtful, however, whether or not the Board has the power under the Act to interfere. It will, however, constitute another opportunity for the Board to find out what its powers really are.—Toronto Star.

E. LOYST has large stock of flour, Royal Household and all other grades, all kinds of feed, large quantities at the lowest prices. He wishes to sell out in the next month. Salt, Coal Oil Groceries. Highest price for eggs cash or trade. A call solicited.

Forging Ahead.

The Lennox and Addington Mutual Fire Insurance Company is steadily forging ahead to the first place of the Insurance Companies doing farm business in these Counties. The amount of insurance passed upon at the July meeting of the Directors was \$125,000. The irresistible Agent, D. L. Green has a good running mate in the ambitious Mr. Jones, each vying with the other in writing the most business for the Company. The company never did more business, never had more Policy-holders, or more insurance, has been able to meet its losses most promptly and has a good cash surplus on hand, and continues to do business at the old stand (despite reports to the contrary) first stairway west of Coxall's grocery, in the Town of Napanee.

Barns Burned.

On Friday, about noon, the barns of James Wilson and Frederick Macdonald, at Strathcona, were destroyed by fire. Mr. Wilson's barn caught from a spark from the thresher at work for him, and in a few minutes the large barn filled with grain and hay was consumed. The fire spread so quickly that the workers could not get the cleaner out of the barn, and it, with implements and a few pigs, were burned. A strong wind blowing from the north-west, carried the flames across the river, and soon the barn of James Macdonald, on the Newburgh road, was on fire. He lost the building and contents, including 800 bushels of barley, all of his implements, two seasons' cut of hay and sixteen pigs. A straw stack and a stack of unthreshed grain, standing outside, were also burned.

We understand that James Wilson had \$1,700 insurance and F. Macdonald \$2,000. The bridge and several nearby houses caught fire, but the flames were subdued after slight damage. Mr. Wilson only removed to the farm in the spring, from Selby. The loss is severe to both men.

REV. AND MRS. MCINTYRE, of Marlbank were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Grange a few days this week.

Miss Geneva Lane, has returned to town after a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Lane, Denbigh.

Mr. Jas. A. Ferguson spent last week advertising the King Edward in Toronto and surrounding towns.

Misses Ada Stevens and Florence Ming, spent Sunday with friends in Kingston.

Mrs. Sidney Scott, Newburgh Road and Mrs. Stuart Bowen, Deseronto left on Wednesday to spend a few weeks in Detroit, Michigan.

Mrs. Travers received on Thursday and Friday of last week, assisted by Mrs. J. S. Han.

Miss Pearl Perry is visiting friends in Ottawa.

Mr. W. A. Grange, of Napanee went to Toronto Friday to spend a few days with friends.

Mr. Norman Alport, of Ohio a former resident of Odessa, was calling on friends in Napanee Friday last.

Miss Jessie Pallister, of Ottawa, is the guest of Miss M. J. Ross.

Mr. W. S. Herrington, of Napanee went to Belleville last Friday on business.

Miss Jennie Kinkley, of Kingston is renewing acquaintances in town this week.

Mr. A. E. Paul is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. J. D. Bell and daughter, spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Mr. Sampson Shields, Tamworth was in town on Thursday.

Mr. Earl Lake is confined to the house with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Capt. Cartwright's dogs won a large number of valuable prizes at Toronto Exhibition.

The following took in the harvest excursion to Manitoba on the 11th Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Real, Rev. H. Cairns, Mr. and Mrs. Ira B. Hulgins Mrs. T. V. Anderson, Mrs. Magrath Mrs. E. Clapp, W. H. Asseltine, A. H. Mayhood, W. B. Grieve, George H. Evans and E. Clarke. They will spend the next two months visiting friends in the west.

BIRTHS.

COGLON.—At Selby, Sept. 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coglon, a son.

MILLER.—At Gibson, on Friday Sept 7th 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Miller, (nee Miss Ferguson) a daughter

MARRIAGES.

WOODCOCK—McCABE—By Rev. J. R. Real, on Thursday Sept. 6th, at the Western Meth. parsonage, Mr. Melvin F. Woodcock, of Deseronto, to Miss Alice McCabe, of Napanee.

DEATHS.

SHATTRAW.—At Deseronto, on Sept 5th, Peter Shattraw, jr., son of Mr and Mrs. Peter Shattraw, aged fifteen years and ten months.

MORTON.—At Deseronto on Sept. 6th Emma Muriel Morton, aged four months.

JOYCE.—At Deseronto, on Sept. 6th Michael Patrick Joyce, aged thirty four years and five months.

A. S. KIMMELRY pays highest price for choice Timothy Seed. Plenty of Bran and Shorts in stock, Liverpool Sax Salt, and fine barrel salt on hand. Cheap Sugars bought before advance. Five Roses Flour has no equal. Try our celebrated 25c. Tea.

Belleville, Sept. 10.—H. Baker, a popular young citizen of Marlbank, aged nineteen years, while bathing in the River Moira at Plainfield yesterday took cramps and was drowned. He was a son of John Baker. The body was not recovered until two hours afterwards, the swift current carrying it as far as Poucher's Mills. The body was taken to his parent's home at Marlbank. The young man was visiting friends in Plainfield.

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Coal Facts.

Now is the time to get in your stock of Coal for the winter before your lawn gets soft. If you want the best grade of Anthracite, Steam or Cannel Coal you can get it by calling up VanLaven's Office, Phone 92. All coal kept under cover and well screened before delivering.

Fall Fairs

Lennox, Napanee, Sept. 18th and 19th.

Toronto Industrial, Aug. 27th to Sept. 10th.

Belleville, Sept. 12th and 13th, Harrowsmith, Sept. 13th and 14th, Stirling, Sept. 18th and 19th.

Frankford, Sept. 20th and 21st.

Shannonville, Sept. 20th.

Tamworth, Sept. 22nd.

Paints Oil and Glass

Our import order of glass is now here and we are ready for the fall trade. Do not overlook the fact that we are the largest dealers in these lines and are gratified to know that the quality of the goods we have been enabled to furnish the public within the past has brought to us this large and growing trade. Elephant Brand of white Lead and ready mixed paints are guaranteed for quality.

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Parish of Selby.

A large congregation greeted Rev. Dr. Tucker, at St. John's last Sunday afternoon. It being the occasion of the annual Harvest Festival. The church was nicely decorated and the ladies of the congregation, who did the work, are to be congratulated. The "Re-union" which was announced to take place on Tuesday, Sept. 18th, will not be held on that date, but on another date, of which due notice will be given. Sunday School Picnic—St. Jude's, Strathcona, on Saturday, Sept. 15th. Conveyance will be at the church, at 10 a. m. to take the pupils to the Picnic Grove. All welcome. Services on Sunday, Sept. 16th, as follows: Kingsford, 10:30 a. m.; weather permitting; Selby, 3 p. m.; Strathcona, 7:30 p. m. The dates for Harvest Festival Services at Kingsford and Strathcona will be announced shortly.

Watch Records.

THE \$10,000 SACRIFICE SALE!

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Everything in the stock of Graham & Co. has been greatly reduced in price and must be sold.—(No reserve in any line.) 125 Men's and Boy's winter Overcoats made by good manufacturers and up-to-date in every detail, many of them being 20th Century goods.—

Men's \$5.00 Overcoats, now.....	3 50	Boys' 75c all-wool Sweaters.....	50
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Men's \$10.00 Overcoats, now.....	7 00	Men's \$10.00 Suits, now.....	\$6.50 & 9
Men's \$13.50 Overcoats, now.....	10 00	Men's \$7.50 Suits, now.....	\$1.50 & 5
Men's \$15 & \$16 Overcoats, now.....	11 00	Men's \$4.00 and 5.00 Water-proof Coats, now	2 00
Boys' \$5.00 Overcoats, now.....	3 50	\$1.00 Overalls, now.....	75
Boys' \$6.00 Overcoats, now.....	4 00	75c Overalls, now.....	55
Boys' \$8.75 Blanket Coats, now.....	2 75	50c Overalls, now.....	38
Children's Fancy Coats that were sold from \$4.75 to \$6.00 now.....	3 00	75c and \$1.00 Umbrellas, now.....	50
10 dozen assorted Men's and Boys' Caps, regular 25c and 50c, sale price.....	10	5 dozen Men's Stiff Hats, in black and brown, prices ran from \$1.50 to \$2.50, your choice for.....	25
10 dozen choice 50c Caps, sale price.....	25	50c Suspenders 35c. 25c Suspenders 19c.	
25c Rubber Collars for.....	15	75c Underwear for 45c. 50c for 38c.	
5 dozen Men's latest style Soft Hats, now.....	75	50c Red, White and Blue Toques, now 30c.	
Men's \$1.25 all-wool Sweaters	75	15c and 20c Linen Collars, now 3 for 25c	

It is pretty hot weather to buy Furs, but the prices we are offering them at are bound to clear them out rapidly.

2 Ladies' Astrichan Jackets,	regular \$35.00 for \$20.00.
2 Electric Seal Jackets,	regular 40.00 for 20.00.
1 Baltic Seal Jacket,	regular 60.00 for 37.50.
1 Near Seal with large Alaska Sable Collar and Revers	regular 55.00 for 35.00.
Ladies' Fur Stoles	regular 16.00 for 8.00.
Ladies' Fur Stoles	regular 9.00 for 4.50.

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FREAKS OF THE LAVA.

Some Curious Incidents of an Overflow of Vesuvius.

At one house, which had been entirely surrounded by the flood, but not destroyed, one saw people, on top of the mass of lava, entering the upper windows with a ladder and bringing forth their household goods to transport them to a place of safety. One vineyard was surrounded on three sides by this dividing current, and it was pos-

lows: Kingsford, 10:30 a.m., weather permitting; Selby, 3 p.m.; Strathcona, 7:30 p.m. The dates for Harvest Festival Services at Kingsford and Strathcona will be announced shortly.

Watch Records.

"That man's watch holds the record for his town," a jeweler said. "It has run for twenty-two years without stopping. Aside from a little regulating, oiling and cleaning, it has never needed a repair. I know lots of men who try to establish records for their watches. I know five men in this little town whose watches have run day and night for ten years. Give a good watch to a man and he takes a pride in it. He never forgets to wind it. Soon he is trying to make a record for it. The record for continuous running is held, I believe, by a Swiss watch in Geneva that has run for twenty-eight years."

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mass of lava, entering the upper windows with a ladder and bringing forth their household goods to transport them to a place of safety. One vineyard was surrounded on three sides by this dividing current, and it was possible to walk into it among the lines of trimmed vines and to perceive the fire still glowing in the towering walls of lava on each side. The people attributed this remarkable phenomenon to the miraculous intervention of their Madonna, "Our Lady of the Snows," with whose sacred image they had confronted the all devouring monster sweeping implacably down on their apparently doomed homes.

Step by step the priests and the faithful, singing the litany, retreated as the awful flood swept on, and still the sound of singing and prayer rose above the fearful roar of the torrent and the thunder of the mountain above, belching forth from the central crater fiery bombs and enormous swirls of cinder, sand and smoke, which rose to great heights. Yard by yard the lava swept onward. Now a palatial villa would be surrounded by the torrent, crushed down and disappear in smoke; now a weeping peasant would see his little cottage and vineyard, his all, go under in an instant.

One poor woman was thus watching the fate of her earthly belongings from a little eminence when a smaller crater came roaring forth at her very feet. She turned to flee, fell, rolled to the bottom of the little hill, and the next moment the lava flowed forth like the foam from a glass of beer and swept over the spot where she had been standing an instant before.—William P. Andrews in Century.

Part of the Battle.

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